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OUTLINES.

Proceedings in Congress yesterday—the financial condition of the country discussed in the Senate; no business of importance in the House. —— Bank statement. —— A British steamship ashore. —— Two masked men rob an express car in Iowa. —— The American Tobacco Company to be indicted by the Attorney General of North Carolina. —— Failure of a dry goods and notion house at Norfolk. —— Heavy travel from the North to Florida. —— North Carolina Legislature—Pritchard's men disturbed; Boyd and Dockery dark horses; a bill to amend the charter of Goldsboro. ——Senator Jos. E. Brown's will. —— Earthquakes in Italy. —— Severe cold and heavy snows in West Virginia. —— Severe gale in Tennessee. —— Shipment of gold to Europe. —— A Norwegian steamer ashore at Charleston. —— Heavy fall of snow in Michigan. ——New England mills—their reasons for erecting plants in the South. —— Bogus railroad tickets on the Western roads. —— A Florida sensation—a steam yacht detained at Fernandina, alleged to be on a filibustering expedition to Cuba. —— Nebraska sufferers thankful for assistance. —— The conspiracy in South Dakota to defraud the State. —— Tennessee Legislature —The Gubernatorial contest. —— Chicago grain and provision market. —— Cotton spots and futures. —— New York markets: Money on call was quoted at 1@1½ per cent.; cotton dull; middling gulf 6 cents; middling uplands 5¾ cents; Southern flour quiet and steady; common to fair extra $2 10@3 00; good to choice do. $3 10@3 50; wheat quiet and firmer with options; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 63 cents; afloat 63¼ cents; corn dull but steady; No. 2 at elevator 52¼@52½ cents; afloat 53¼ cents; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 27¾@28¾c; rosin dull but steady; strained common to good $1.35@1.40.

Col. Breckinridge's friends say that he is no worse than thousands of other men, which may be true, but it cannot be denied that he has more brass in his cheek than all the thousands.

Two Sticks, an Indian, was executed a few days ago, and some of the papers had pictures of him. But as he never saw the pictures he died without wishing for the scalp of the newspaper men.

A citizen of Kentucky ate his New Year's dinner with three of his wives sitting at the table. That doesn't often happen in Kentucky. In this case two of the wives were ex's from whom he had been divorced.

At some points in Manitoba the mercury fell to 40 degress below zero last Sunday. It didn't go any lower because the basement of the thermometers wasn't deep enough. It isn't hard for even the politicians to keep cool up there.

The Catholic *Times* of Philadelphia charges members of the City Councils with demand and receiving $362,000 worth of stock out of a total $1'000,000 issued by a telephone company, for privileges granted. They probably had a frank on the "hello" also.

It is an ill wind that blows no good. The hard times have had a depressing effect on the sale of oysters, and some of the Maryland oystermen have had to pull out of the business. It is rough on them, but the oyster will have a rest and will not be sucked in so much.

The office of Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives has been monopolized by fifteen States, in which Kentucky leads with a record of 10½ times, Virginia coming next with 6, Pennsylvania 5½, Indiana 4½, North Carolina 3, the remainder of the fifteen holding it from 1 to 3.

Senator Allen, Populists, of Nebraska, believes in economy. He believes in it so much that when he attended the funeral of Congressman Post, as one of the Senatorial Committee, he took his daughter along at the expense of the United States. He thought she would enjoy a Congressional funeral.

A Washington report says that Secretary Carlisle will have the income tax collected whether an appropriation is made to pay expenses or not. Perhaps when they get to understand this the Senators who propose to fight the appropriation to prevent the collection of the tax will pull in their horns.

Mr. Edward Atkinson and Mr. Carnegie are quoted as saying that the material conditions of this country are conducive to a period of great prosperity, never greater, and that nothing stands in the way but the threat of the degradation of the standard of value." We have been hearing that kind of rot for several years.

Lady Henry Somerset, of England, said at a banquet in Boston the other day that England would promise to send us no more paupers if we would promise to send to England no more millionaires like William Waldorf Astor, from which it would seem that renegades like Astor are not prized by the Britons, even if they have many millions.

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W. B. COOPER—Seed potatoes.
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RACKET STORE—Good morning.
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At AUCTION—Horses and mules.
G.R. FRENCH & SON—The old way.
C. E. GORDON—Odds and ends sale.
KATZ & POLVOGT—Cash clearing sale.
At AUCTION—Navassa Guano stock.
W. E. SPRINGER & CO.—Hardware.
J.L.BOATWRIGHT CO.—Goods in season
WORTH & WORTH—What science has none.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED—Agents.
AGENTS—Something new.
P. H. HAYDEN—Buggies, harness.
MRS. N.S. McLAURIN—Dress-making.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— The Criminal Court adjourned yesterday for the term.

— Kale quoted in New York yesterday at 75c.@$1 00; spinach, $1.75@2.50.

— Three interments, all adults, in Oakdale the past week, and one adult and one child in Bellevue.

— Wm. Wallace, a white tramp, was pulled up in the City Court yesterday and sentenced to work fifteen days on the streets.

— The Populistic Peanut Politicians and the Radical Republican Raiders at Raleigh have made a fine beginning. But the end will come with the election of 1896.

— The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will be held Monday, January 14th, at 12 m., at the office of the Association.

— The alarm of fire from box 43 at 8 30 last night was on account of smoke seen in the office of the *Evening Dispatch* on Orange street. The fire department responded promptly, but their services were not required, as there was no fire.

—A number of readers of the STAR have expressed their appreciation of the concise manner in which it gives the proceedings of the Legislature. They want the story briefly told each day. And when it comes to guessing, they can do that themselves. It is facts and results they are after.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. R. C. Platt has gone to Birmingham, Ala., on a visit.

— Mr. L. H. Reffel, of New Orleans, La., is in the city on a business visit.

— Messrs. Claude A. Matthews and Robert Holderly, two clever newspaper men of Charlotte, were visitors in the city yesterday.

— Mr. H. D. Vernelson has resigned his position with the Virginia Life Insurance Company and leaves tomorrow for Memphis, Tenn., to go into the insurance business there.

— Messrs. Dr. W. L. Steele, Rockingham; W. B. Stevens, C. L. Stevens, Southport; J. C. Scarborough, Charlotte; R. S. Bond, Charleston, were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

— Mr. W. L. Jacobs, for three years past treasurer of the Opera House, has resigned the position, much to the regret of all who have come into contact with him, for a more clever, courteous gentleman does not exist. He has been succeeded by Mr. Thos. H. Wright, who has been Mr. Jacob's assistant for some time and who will give general satisfaction.

City Markets.

Supplies of all kinds were abundant in the city markets yesterday, and the demand was sufficient to satisfy the vendors of such vegetables as are in season, the butchers and fish dealers.

In poultry there were dressed fowls at 60 to 75c per pair; live, 25 to 30c apiece; turkeys (dressed) 12½c to 18c per pound, geese (dressed) 75 to 80c per pair Wild ducks sold at 25 to 75c per pair.

In the fish market small mullets sold at 10c per bunch. Other varieties were scarce. Oysters retailed at 12½ to 25c per quart, and clams, 12½c per quart.

Cabbage sold at 10c per head, turnips, 5c per bunch; lettuce, 5c per head; sweet potatoes, 15c per peck; collards, 5c per head; celery, 50c per bunch.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE.
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 18.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 42°; 8 p. m 41°; maximum, 57°; minimum, 39°; mean, 49°.

Rainfall for the day .00; rainfall for the month up to date .81 inches.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY.

For Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, fair, much colder; northwesterly winds.

COTTON FACTS AND FIGURES.

— Receipts here yesterday 507 bales; same day last year, 901.

— Spot cotton dull in New York at 5¾c for middling.

— Receipts at the ports yesterday 25,881 bales; stock, 1,111,859.

— New York futures closed dull; January, 5.54; February, 5.54; March 5 58; April, 5 62; May, 5.67; June, 5.71; July, 5 75; August, 5 80; September, 5 83; October, 5 89

Davis & Zoeller will close out their Cloaks and Capes to-morrow at prime cost. Be on hand early is good advise.

JOHN C. DAVIS.

UNEXPECTED RETURN OF THE NOTED SWINDLER TO WILMINGTON.

His Escape From the Asylum at Raleigh and His Journey Here as Told by Himself—The Purpose of His Visit—He Will be Sent Back to Raleigh To Morrow.

The universal topic here yesterday was John C. Davis. On the streets, in the stores, in the saloons, in the homes—everywhere—the inevitable subject for comment and discussion when two or more persons met was the return and arrest of John C. Davis.

Davis, it will be remembered, when the cases against him were called for trial here some three years since, was adjudged insane by a jury, after hearing the testimony of medical experts, and was taken to the State Hospital at Raleigh, where he remained until last Tuesday night. At that time, as heretofore reported in the STAR, he made his escape under cover of the storm prevailing there, and the first news to reach Wilmington of his whereabouts was brought by himself when he alighted from the 10 a. m. A. C. L. train yesterday.

As usual, a large crowd of both whites and blacks was at the depot, and many of them recognized Davis as he was coming toward the gate, and when he passed out, the words, "there's John C. Davis," passed through the throng. Officer Savage, who was on duty at the depot, got an inkling that Davis was coming a few minutes before the train arrived and immediately sent a messenger to the City Hall for instructions, whether to place him under arrest or not, but there was some delay in receiving an answer, and in the meantime Davis walked very rapidly down Front street. Officer Savage followed in sight, waiting to receive instructions. A large crowd, which grew larger as they passed each corner, followed on the opposite side of the street, getting a thorough inspection of the man who figured so prominently in rendering a number of widows and orphans homeless and who had baffled for a long while many shrewd citizens. When near the corner of Front and Chesnut streets (opposite the Cape Fear Club) Capt. R. M Capps, accompanied by a messenger Mr. Frank Rowan, gave Savage the signal and Davis was once more in New Hanover county under arrest.

When Mr. Savage put him under arrest the prisoner inquired "What for?" At the corner of Second and Chesnut, he asked Officer Savage his name, and when informed said: "You are a son of Mrs. Savage; I know you;" and shook hands. He then begged the officer to carry him to Judge Meares, saying that he had been informed recently that he had committed some crimes or depredations in this county and wanted to straighten them up. He asked what buildings the Court House and Postoffice were, and said that they had been erected since he left here. He inquired also, whether Court was in session.

When he reached the City Court room the news had spread over the streets that Davis had been arrested and hundreds of anxious and interested people were awaiting his arrival. Upon orders from the Mayor he was sent to jail to be returned to his old quarters in the State Hospital at Raleigh to-morrow morning.

On his way to jail from the City Hall in a very quiet unexcited manner he said it looked hard after walking nearly all the way from Raleigh to be locked up upon his arrival here. A STAR reporter who was present went into his cell and began propounding questions to him, in reply to which he said: "I am tired, fatigued and physically unable to give you an interview now. You will have to call and see me later." As the Reporter left he asked that Mr. John D. Bellamy, Jr., be notified that he was here and that he wished to see him.

A representative of the STAR called on Davis in the afternoon. He was clad in a common suit of clothes, the same he arrived here in, and there was very little change in his appearance; if anything, he was looking better than he did when he left here about two years ago.

He stated in a calm, considerate way, that he left the asylum last Tuesday night while it was raining and took the Fayetteville road, heading for Wilmington. He came via Dunn, walking all the way to Faison, where he boarded the train this morning.

He spoke of the wet, muddy roads and of having to wade in several places. He was furnished food and shelter at farm-houses along the roads.

He obtained money to pay railroad fare from Rev. Mr. Jenkins, of Faison, who was an old friend of his, they having worked together several years ago at the cotton mills in this city.

He told the story of his leaving the asylum and for what purpose he came to Wilmington, as follows:

"I recovered in last September, and realized that I was at the Asylum, and my first desire was to learn when and how I came there. After being told that I was sent there by the Court, I contented myself, and gradually grew better, and understood that in a short while I would be returned to my people a sane man. But as I continued to grow better, friends would meet me and say that I had wrecked Fifth Street Church, and some said I had only injured the church. Others told me that I had swindled a widow lady. I was very anxious to learn the truth of these matters and begged those in authority at the Asylum to inform me truthfully of what I had done. For reasons best known to themselves they informed me that there was no truth in the rumors. I continued to hear strange stories of my actions in Wilmington and begged that I be discharged so I could return and find out the true status of affairs.

"Dr. Kirby, who, with his wife, was exceedingly kind to me and to all the patients, said that he would have to return me to the authorities of New Hanover county. I longed to get light on what seemed to be hidden and resolved to come home and see what information I could gain. I told Dr. Kirby Tuesday that I was coming. He wanted to know when, and I told him as soon as I could; but that I would be open about it and not leave him clandestinely. The Sunday before Christmas I walked out in the woods and sat down and then I had what seemed to me to be the greatest blessing of my life. I knew then that my troubles were at an end, and I read my Bible constantly. Above everything I believe a man should be honorable, and if I owe any money in Wilmington, I hope my friends will tell me truthfully about it. I am anxious to settle every debt I owe, and while practicing law I accumulated a little property and will gladly sell that to pay any honest debts I owe. I remember owing about $800 to Mr. A. B Cook for groceries, Mr. N. Jacobi, Mr. Shrier, Mr. Quinlivan and others, and gave notes at 8 per cent. interest, but remember positively that every one was settled."

Along the road from Raleigh he met several influential citizens and gave his name, which excited no comment. He had heard since his return that the members of Fifth Street Church to which he belonged had built a very pretty church since he left and was glad to hear it. "I carry my Bible with me nearly all the time," he said. "I think too much religion is injurious to a man, I only read my Bible three times a day. I have met several of the members of Fifth Street Church, recognized them and was glad to see them."

He requested that no more publicity be given his return here than could possibly be helped, saying that he was glad to learn that he had never committed any crime in this community, and had never done the church any injury. His many friends who called to see him during the day had assured him that there was no truth in the rumors that he had defrauded any one, and that his mind had been greatly relieved, and that he would return to the Asylum in better condition, hoping to return in a short while discharged and a sane man.

Many people believe Davis' return to be a trick of his to escape the courts; others think that it shows very plainly that he is insane.

THE WEATHER.

A Cold Wave—Storm Signals—High Westerly Winds.

The cold wave signal was displayed here yesterday at noon by direction of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C. It was predicted that the mercury would "fall to 20 degrees by Saturday night or Sunday." The temperature at mid-day was 57 degrees; at 8 p. m, it had dropped to 39degrees and was still falling.

Mr. F. L. Graham, observer at the Wilmington station, said last night that there was some probability of snow before morning. He displayed the southwest storm signals at 2.50 p. m. for a storm then reported as central in West Pennsylvania moving East. High westerly winds were predicted along the Atlantic coast from Savannah to Baltimore. The storm was moving towards the New England coast last night, and the high westerly winds prevailing here throughout the afternoon had subsided.

The Legislature.

The present Legislature could do all the majority care to do—that is, they could enact such legislation as they deem necessary to give them the political machinery and to supersede Democratic office-holders with Populists and Republicans—and adjourn at the close of the present month. And this they would doubtless do but for the fact that they are allowed four dollars per day for sixty days.

As board is cheap in Raleigh, and a majority of the members of this Legislature have never known probably what it was to earn four dollars per day, they will remain in Raleigh the full sixty days, and will then leave only because their pay is cut off by law.

There are about a half-dozen leading subjects of legislation that are important, and to these the STAR will give special attention.

Wilmington In the Piece.

The following paragraph is reproduced from a long and interesting telegram which appeared in the STAR yesterday:

"Mr. Culnock added that he thought New England had seen its best days as a manufacturing centre. Lowell had waterpower and that is all, but the mills are mostly run by steam power. All the additional machinery put in, Mr. Culnock said, since the water power was exhausted, has had to be run by coal, which is brought here in sailing vessels from Pennsylvania and Maryland, and with the freight to Lowell, makes the fuel very expensive. This, with the cheap cotton and cheap labor in the South, turns the tide in favor of the South on plain goods."

It is worth noting, too, that fuel for steam power can be had in Wilmington now at almost nominal cost.

Lumber Bridge Lyceum.

A correspondent writes the STAR that a Lyceum was organized at Lumber Bridge Friday night, with the following officers: Rev. P. R. Law, President; W. J. McNaughton, Vice President; Prof. J. A. McArthur, Critic; J. A. McGeachy, Secretary; Miss Mittie Cobb, Treasurer. The reading club for girls, ably conducted for some time past by Miss Sudie H. Gay and Miss Mary McArthur, will be merged into the lyceum.

C. F. & Y. V. Sunday Mails.

The following post-offices on the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway are now receiving the Sunday mails: Wilmington, Montague, Stedman, Fayetteville, Spout Springs, Jonesboro, Walnut Cove, Dalton, Pilot Mountain and Mount Airy. Goldston has made application for the service, and others will soon come in. Then the patrons of the offices will wonder why they waited so long.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS ADJOURNED WITHOUT BALLOTING FOR U. S. SENATOR.

Pritchard's Men Greatly Disturbed—Boyd and Dockery Dark Horses—Mott May Re-enter the Ring—A Number of Bills and Resolutions Introduced—One to Amend the Charter of Goldsboro.

[*Special Star Correspondence*]

RALEIGH, N. C., January 12.

SENATE.

The Senate was called to order at 11 o'clock. Prayer was offered by Rev. Father Marion, of this city. The Journal was read and approved. Bills and resolutions were introduced:

By Mr. Paddison, to amend section 738 of the Code, in regard to the payment of costs in criminal actions.

By Mr. Grant, to amend the charter of Goldsboro.

By Mr. Starbuck, a resolution urging repeal by Congress of the ten per cent. tax on State banks. Also, in regard to the repeal of the Internal Revenue laws.

By Mr. Taylor, bill for relief of W. J. Sutton, late sheriff of Bladen.

Mr. Rice, of New Hanover, reported for the committee on appointment of standing committees, and the list of committees nominated was read. Report adopted.

Mr. Rice moved that the Senate proceed to the election of President *pro tem.*

Mr. Adams and others protested that the action was unprecedented.

Mr. Ammon, of Madison, moved to lay the motion on the table, and it was laid on the table by a vote of 36 to 6.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 11 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair. Prayer by Rev. L. L. Smith, a member of the House.

Mr. Ewart, chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, rose to a question of personal privilege, and had read an editorial from the *News and Observer*, charging him with undue haste in pressing election cases. He denied undue haste, and claimed his prompt action was in the interest of the tax-payers.

Messrs. Peebles and Payne also arose and stated that the Committee on Elections having corrected their error, attributed no improper motives to them.

By Mr. French, memorial in the case of Croom vs. Ward, from Pender.

The Chair announced that a special committee of fifteen, on the election law would be appointed to day.

By Mr. Payne, resolution to instruct our Senators and request our Representatives to urge Congress to make an appropriation for the Croatan Indians in Robeson county.

By Mr. McLean, of Richmond, bill to form a new county out of Richmond.

By Mr. Higgins, bill for relief of sheriff of Yancey.

By Mr. Pool, bill to repeal charter of Elizabeth City and to re-charter the same.

By Mr. Drew, of Brunswick, bill to repeal charter of the Brunswick Bridge and Ferry Co.

By Mr. Monroe, of Wayne, bill to codify laws of North Carolina.

By Mr. Roscoe, bill to change time for electing municipal officers in Windsor.

By Mr. Lusk, bill to incorporate the town of South Biltmore, Buncombe Co. Also, bill to incorporate Intra-Montaine Railroad Co.

By Mr. Ewart, bill to repeal chapter 987 Laws of 1889, to secure to the people a pure and simple election system.

By Mr. Hunter, bill to provide for the establishment of a criminal circuit in Buncombe and Madison counties.

By Mr. Smith, of Gates, to amend section 80 of the Code.

By Mr. Drew, to change the dividing line between the counties of Columbus and Brunswick.

By Mr. Heilman (by request), bill to amend chapter 880. Laws of 1885; also, bill to amend chaper 147, Laws 1887.

By Mr. Reynolds, to allow John L. Stewart to peddle without license.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

Republican Senatorial Caucus Adjourned to Meet Monday Night.

RALEIGH, N. C., January 12.—At a joint caucus of Republicans and Populists to-day, John W. Brown, of Granville, was nominated by acclamation for enrolling clerk for the two Houses.

Judge Russell had quite a "boom" for Senator last night.

The Republican Senatorial caucus met in the Senate Hall to-night, but by a vote of 34 to 24, adjourned till Monday night. As a well-posted Republican remarked, this leaves it an 'Any Mary" fight.

[By Southern Associated Press.]

RALEIGH, January 13.—The Populist caucus of the House and Senate met this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and though it was thought by some that Butler would be nominated for the Senatorship, such was not the case, the meeting having closed with the nomination of an enrolling clerk—the position that controls more than any other office.

The Republican caucus to be held to-night is expected to nominate a United States Senator for the short term. Since the retirement of Dr. Mott last night, Pritchard's chances are thought to have grown, and the general opinion is that he will receive the nomination to-night.

A candidate is quoted as saying that the caucus will do nothing important to-night, but will adjourn until next Thursday: Settle seems to show fight, too, but the knowing ones say that this will count for little to-night and that Pritchard will be the man. A stormy session of the caucus is looked for, and it is not unlikely that much bitterness will be stirred up, the effect of which may be felt in the Legislature, as the Holton and Settle and straight-out Republican spirits look upon Pritchard as Butler's man, and may therefore be estranged from him somewhat, though out and out Republican members hereafter. In any case, after the Senatorial question has been settled, it is said that there will be considerable drifting apart and that fusion will lose some of the warmth of union which has outwardly marked the proceedings during these first three days of the Legislature. All the candidates will stay until after the election next Tuesday week. Dr. Mott, in having withdrawn, is said to have been clever, as defeat would have left him under the weather in his party despite his long service as a Republican. Whereas he is now in the position of dictator.

The Legislature to-day did nothing except of a local nature. A bill which will pass was introduced to take the public printing away from bidders and it is said, give it out to Butler's organ here as patronage.

To-day's session of the Senate was characterized by unusual interest. A resolution to recall bill sent to the House repealing the law letting public printing to the lowest bidder, was defeated. It provoked a somewhat heated discussion.

The first attack on city charters was made by Mr. Grant, of Wayne, in a bill to amend the charter of the city of Goldsboro.

Resolutions were adopted instructing Senators and Representatives in Congress to endeavor to secure repeal of the ten per cent. tax on State banks, and certain objectionable features of the internal revenue law.

A heated debate arose over the proposition to elect a President *pro tem.* This procedure was argued by Democrats to be unconstitutional and without precedent. The Constitution provides for the election of a President *pro tem.* in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor, or when he is acting Governor. The proposition was defeated.

A joint caucus of the Republican Senators and Representatives meets to-night to select Republican U. S. Senator.

The Republican caucus held to-night resulted in an adjournment without taking a ballot for U. S. Senator.

The Pritchard forces fought strenuously for a ballot, but the anti-Pritchard force, which is really the field against Pritchard, after six tie-ballots, succeeded in a postponement until Monday night: when the caucus will re-convene. This is a victory for candidate A. E. Holton, The Pritchard men are greatly disturbed but great effort is being made to keep them in line. Boyd and Dockery are the dark horses, with a possible re-enterind of J. J. Mott, whose retirement was announced last night.

THE CAPE FEAR FRESHET.

Three Feet Higher Than the Famous "Sherman Freshet" of 1865—The Water at a Stand-still at 5 p. m. Yesterday.

The great freshet in the Cape Fear river reached its highest point at Fayetteville yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when the water was at a stand-still.

The freshet is the greatest on record—three feet higher than the famous "Sherman freshet" of 1865, and has no doubt caused an incalculable amount of damage.

Yesterday morning at 8 o'clock the Government gauge at Fayetteville showed 58 feet and the water still rising. At 5 o'clock last evening the flood had reached the flooring of the county bridge, and was within three feet of the track on the iron bridge of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad which spans the river a short distance below the county bridge.

Persons who arrived by train last night from Fayetteville report that the country on the east side of the river was covered with water for miles, and the river itself was covered with drift wood. All through the country above Fayetteville bridges were swept away, but the railroad bridges were intact. Haw river and Deep river were falling at 8 p. m. yesterday, indicating that the flood in these rivers had reached its greatest height.

HALIFAX COUNTY.

A Cotton Mill to be Built at Roanoke Rapids by Northern Capitalists.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

WELDON, N. C., Jan. 12.

I was shown yesterday a diagram drawn by Messrs. Lockwood and Green, of Boston, for a cotton mill to be erected at Roanoke Rapids, about five miles from here. This mill will have about twelve thousand spindles and four hundred looms, and a proposition has been made to Mayor T. L. Emery, of this place, Chas. Cohen and W. M. Hableston, of Petersburg, who will be the owners of this mill, to increase its capacity to double this as they would take stock. Halifax county has water powers superior to any in the State, and Northern capitalists are becoming interested in them. We will soon have a manufacturing county.

Roanoke river is high. No damage is being done.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Song Folios.

Received a large assortment of Song Folios and new Sheet Music. Also cheap Instructors for all musical instruments. We have a large assortment of Guitars, Banjos, Violines and Bows, Mandolines, &c., and the best silverized steel and gut Strings for the same. Please call at
HEINSBERGER'S
Live Book and Music Store,
jan 13 tf

Oranges.

A cargo of very superior Oranges from the Bluff, Bahamas.
For sale by
CRONLY & MORRIS.
jan 13 1t

Seed Potatoes.

25 barrels E. R. Seed Potatoes. (Best selected stock.)
25 boxes Toilet Soap.
50 boxes best Ink.
25 half barrels best patent Flour made.
We want your business for 1895.
W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,
126 North Water Street,
Jan 13 tf D&W Wilmington, N. C.

NAVASSA GUANO STOCK at AUCTION.

On Friday, 18th January, 1895, at 12 o'clock M., at our Sales Room, we will sell THIRTY-ONE SHARES CAPITAL STOCK Navassa Guano Company of this city.
Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 11, 1895.
CRONLY & MORRIS,
jan 13 4t su we th fr Auctioneers.

I Arrived Saturday Night

With one car of extra good Horses and Mules direct from Virginia, which will be sold on Wednesday, January 16th, at 11 a. m., at Southerland's Barn, to the highest bidder This stock is all young, sound and good workers and will be sold just as represented or money will be refunded.
jan 13 3t DAVID MURPHY.

Annual Meeting

OF THE LOT-OWNERS OF OAKDALE Cemetery will be held at the office of the Secretary and Treasurer, No. 124 Princess street, on Monday evening, January 14th, at 8 o'clock.
jan 12 2t RICHARD J. JONES, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Great
CASH CLEARING SALE
At Katz & Polvogt's.

Force

Used, not upon our customers, but our Stock. Indiscriminate cuts in prices in every department of our establishment. We do not wish to bore you with a rhetorical display, so give you plain facts and figures throughout this sheet.

Katz & Polvogt,
116 Market Street,
Leading Dry Goods Dealers.

Dress Goods Department.

No. 1. 15c Brocatelles at 9½c.
No. 2. 35c to 50c double width Wool Dress Goods, embracing mixtures, cheviots, cashmeres and Bengalines, sold at only 25c.
No. 3. 50c and 75c all-wool suitings, 40 to 54 inches, at only 39c.
No. 4. 75c all wool habit cloth 54 inches wide at 49c.
No. 5, 90c silk finished Henriettas 40 inches wide, all colors, 60c.
No. 6. 60c all wool silk finished Henriettos only 39c yard.
No. 7. Navy & Black storm Serge only 49c.
No. 8. 70c all wool 46 inch storm Serge only 49c.
No. 9. $1.25 all wool sail storm Serge only 98c.
No. 10. Our entire stock of Waists, silk, having sold at $1.19 to 1.50, sold at the uniform price of 75c.
No. 11. $1.25 Crepe de Cheneon, evening shades, only 85c.
No. 12. 75c 46 inch Muslin de Soie, only 39c, evening shades.
No. 13. $1.25 Black Satins only 69c.
No. 14. Mourning Dress Goods—$1.25 silk finished Henriettas only 89c.
No. 15. 90c silk finished Henrietta only 60c.
No. 16. $3.00 mourning veils only $1.25 per yard.
No. 17. Made veils, hemstiched and hemmed, at half prices.
No. 18. Mourning cashmere shawls at half price.
Flannel underware under cost.
40 to 50c children's flannels only 25c.
75c children's flannels only 50c.
50c ladies' ribbed vests only 25c.
75c ladies' natural wool vests only 50c.
Every ladies' flannel vest and pants over $1.25, some having sold for $2.50, will be sold at the uniform price, 98c.

Cloak Department.

No. 1. $5.00 Black Cloaks at only $2.00.
No. 2. $10.00 Cloaks at only $5.00.
No. 3. $15.00 to $18.00 Cloaks only $9.98.
No. 4. Children's 4 to 8 year Garments only $2.00 worth $5.00.
No. 5. Babies' Elderdown Coats with Angora fur worth $3.00, this week 98c.
Children's Caps—2,000 New Silk Caps just opened at half price—60c Caps, 39c; 80c Caps, 59c; 85c Caps, 65c; $1.10 Caps, 89c; $1.50 Caps, $1.00.
Babies' long coats, cashmere and silk, embroidered, $1.50 to 5.00.
Blankets—$1 25 grade, 75c; 3.00 grade, 1.50; 7.50 grade, 4.50.
Comforts—$6.00 Down Comforts, 4.50; 4.50 Fine Cotton Bat, 2.20; small size, 50c.
Rugs—$2.50 Willow Rugs, 1.50; 3.00 Persian Rugs, 1.98, 36x72.
75c Cocoa Matting, only 50c.
89c Shades fringed and patent rollers, only 49c.
Mattings—200 rolls just opened, purchased under the hammer.
15c mattting 9½c; 25c seamless 16 2-3c; 40c cotton warp 20c.
Hosiery Department—Great drive in this Department—15c Children's Black Hose only 10c; 40c Children's Fast Black Hose, silk finished, 25c; 25c Ladies' Fast Black Hose only 15c.
35c Ladies Black Hose, only 19c.
45c Ladies Black Hose, only 28c.
1,000 other bargains during the great Cash Clearing Sale at
Katz & Polvogt's,
116 Market Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jan 13 tf

Coal, Coal,

Red Ash Egg, White Ash Egg,
White Ash Stove.
Chestnut Coal, Furnace Coal,
Pea Coal, Foundry Coal,
Tennessee Lump, Pochahontas Lump

Wood, Wood.

OAK, ASH, LIGHTWOOD.
All Coal and Wood of the best quality and Lowest Prices.
J. A. SPRINGER.
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Three Mules and
Two Horses

For sale for cash, or on time with approved security.
D. L. GORE.
jan 22 D&W tf

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Notices under head of "City Items" 20 cents per line of first insertion, and 15 cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired charged transient rates for time actually published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any price.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

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Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

An extra charge will be made for double-column or triple-column advertisements.

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

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Amusement, Auction and Official advertisements ...

The Morning Star.

By WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 13, 1895

CHEAP BREAD.

We publish the following paragraph from the New York *Tribune* because there is an answer, an argument and a moral in it:

"The bakers of Port Huron, Mich., have been indulging in a bread war, the outcome of which has mightily surprised them. In their attempt to ruin each other, they finally cut down the price of five cent loaves of bread to two cents, and then it became a question which of them would go under. But the people of the town all stopped doing their own baking and bought bakers' bread, the result of which is that all bakers are making money at two cents a loaf, and there is no talk of going back to the old price."

When in the campaign of 1890, the Democrats arraigned the Republicans for passing the McKinley bill, charging that it enhanced the cost of the necessaries of life, the Repulicans tacitly admitted this and rather boasted of it in their flippant comments on "cheap" things. Mr. McKinley declared that cheapness was synonymous with nastiness, and President Harrison gave it as his opinion, that a "cheap coat" made a "cheap man," in other words, that cheap clothing was a demoralizer that sapped the manly spirit. The American people didn't agree with either of them, for in the election of that year they bounced the Republican majority out of Congress, and in the following election bounced Mr. Harrison, and put in their places representatives of the Democratic party, which does not believe that cheapness is synonymous with nastiness, or that a cheap coat degrades an American citizen.

But neither Mr. McKinley nor Mr. Harrison meant literally what they said. They doubtless wished to make it appear that cheap goods lowered the price of labor and therefore made cheap workmen. That was a tricky way they had of deceiving the working people and making them believe that the higher the protection to the employer the higher wages they received, and that the result of cheap things would be that the workmen would have to work for wages that would not support a family or go idle and let the family starve.

In the extract given above there is an object lesson which it would do the anti cheap goods men good to read and ponder upon. It was a discovery made by accident for those Huron bakers did not start out to lower the price of bread simply to build up their own trade, or favor their customers but to break their competitors down, but instead of breaking each other down they built each other up and sold more bread and made more money at two cents a loaf than they did before at five.

Bread baking is not one of the protected industries, it is true, but the argument against cheapness applies as well to the unprotected as to the protected industries, for it was asserted that cheap goods necessitated cheap labor and little of it in in this country when protection and high prices were gone. When bread got down to two cents a loaf we might naturally look, if we believed the protection doctrine, for a big reduction in the wages of bakers, and expect to see a great many of them thrown out of employment, but instead of this the employers are doing a better business than they did before, and the bakers are kept busy trying to supply the demand and their wages are as high as they were before the bread war began.

All the protectionist objections to or slurs at cheap coats are applicable to cheap bread, for they are both necessaries; but neither Mr. McKinley nor Mr. Harrison has ever objected to cheap bread although they went as far as they could to make dear other food when they put a protective duty on products of the farm. Fortunately the American people have not to buy their food. We raise enough and more than enough to meet our wants, and have to import none, save in the years when there might be a scarcity of some article of general consumption. If we had to import our food stuffs we would find them, with a protective tariff, dear enough to suit the most high toned protectionist and entirely too dear for the wage-earner who toils for his bread.

But it would not be difficult to prove that the cheapening of the necessaries of life would benefit not only the consumer but the seller, the employer and the workman who made them, as cheap bread has done in this instance in Huron. With cheap clothing, for instance, the man who economized and bought one suit of clothes could buy two, which would double the business of the work for the workman. It would also double the consumption of the raw materials used in the manufacture of the clothing, thus benefitting the wool grower, cotton-grower and others who produced the raw materials out of which the clothes were made. And so with everything else.

The cheapening of iron and steel has brought them into common use as a substitute for wood in the building of ships and houses and made a demand for ten tons where before when high prices prevailed there was a demand for one.

When aluminum cost five dollars a pound there was little of it used for anything save ornaments for personal use, while now with cheaper prices it is used in the manufacture of numerous articles for household and other uses.

When California pears were worth twenty-five cents apiece but few of them were seen in any Eastern markets but since cheap transportation made it possible to put them and California grapes and other fruits in the markets at prices that the average purse could stand they can be found anywhere, shipped by the train load, and the industry of fruit-growing has become a great and a prosperous one. So with the fruits and fruit-growing in Florida. Cheapness has not only given the people delicious fruits which before only the rich could enjoy, but has built up the fruit growing industry in those and other States to colossal proportions, and so would it build up the business of our manufacturers. The cheaper things are the greater the consumption, the more business for the producers and the more work for the workman whose services are required in the production.

MINOR MENTION.

Senator Hill is not adding anything to his prestige as a Democratic leader by joining hands with Senator Quay in the effort to obstruct the collection of the income tax, and thus practically nullify the law. There are ways provided for testing the constitutionality of an act of Congress, but not satisfied with this Senator Hill asks Congress to set aside the statutory requirements in order to facilitate the proceedings of those who are endeavoring to prevent the collection of the tax. We would not be surprised at Mr. Quay or any other mere partisan Republican pursuing this course, but it is surprising that a man who is supposed to be loyal to his party, and one who aspires to its leadership, should thus labor for its defeat and to bring humiliation upon it. Republican as he is, Senator Sherman would not go so far, and Friday, when expressing his views on Senator Hill's motion administered a genteel rebuke to the New York Senator, a rebuke all the more pointed as coming from the leading Republican in the Senate. Senator Hill made his record on that question by his stubborn fight against the adoption of the income tax provision in which he went to the extreme of being the only Democrat who refused to abide by the decision of his Democratic colleagues in caucus, but when he goes to the further extreme of trying to pass a new law to nullify a law which he could not defeat it puts himself in the unenviable attitude of an obstructionist, who combines with tricky Republicans to antagonize his own party and make abortive its efforts to run the revenue of the Government must have.

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The fact that Mr. Stephen B. Elkins has received the Republican legislative caucus nomination, (which is equivalent to election,) for U. S. Senator from West Virginia, recalls the fact that so far every new Senator chosen by Republican Legislatures is either a man of large wealth or the representative of some corporation, whose wealth and influence have been used to secure an election. There were seven or eight avowed Republican candidates for the Senate from West Virginia, but Elkins had the money and succeeded in silencing the opposition and grabbing the place. We do not wish to make the impression by this that bribery was resorted to and the seat bought, although we have no doubt that if thought necessary this would have been done; but the fact is it has become such a custom among the Republicans to elect only men of wealth or corporation representatives to the Senate that it is useless for any one else to try. This is so well understood that others seldom or never try. Take the Southern Senators out, and there are even some exceptions among these, and the United States Senate would simply be a body which represents and is under control of the money power and the strong corporations of the country. In the true sense it is not a Senate which represents either the States or the people of the States.

The action taken by several Governments in Continental Europe in shutting out American live cattle and beef is not such a ruinous matter, unless England should be persuaded to enter the combine. In that case it would be, and there seems to be some effort in that direction, as the London *Times*, the leading paper of England, has opened fire upon American beef. The beef trade of England with the United States, as compared with other countries, is thus stated by the Philadelphia *Record*:

"During the ten months ended October 31, 1894, the total exports of cattle from the United States amounted in value to $34 847 878, of which $31,884,260 was exported to Great Britain. The exports of American cattle to Germany in the same period amounted in value to $898,712—a mere bagatelle compared with the exports to Great Britain. France, in fact, imports more American cattle than Germany, the value of her importations in the ten months in question having amounted to $933 810.

"Of the fresh beef exported from the United States in the ten months ended October 31, 1894, amounting in value to $14,877,156, all of it but $60,000 in value went to Great Britain. Germany is not in it. Of canned beef exported to the value of $3 893,812 in this period Great Britain took $2,868,533, and Germany $369,786, while France took $447,938."

England is not only our best customer for beef, but for other foodstuffs, and yet the protectionists have singled England out as a special object of attack in their tariff legislation, and have done all they could to hamper and destroy trade between the two countries.

The New York *Herald* says "the lawyers right and left are advising their clients that the income tax is unconstitutional and hence should be paid under protest." They are doing the protesting in advance.

The expenditures of the city of Philadelphia have increased from $2,682,548 in 1860 to $29,312,591 in 1894. This is vastly out of proportion to the increase of population or wealth.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Fife-cent cotton is a luxury. Only the independent and prosperous farmer can afford it.—*Columbia State, Dem.*

—— The refusal of the House to order the previous question upon the adoption of a rule limiting debate upon the currency bill seems to leave little hope of any effective legislation for the relief of the national finances. *Phil. Times, Dem.*

—— It is reported that the Republicans are seriously considering the proposition to combine with the Populists after March 4th next, with the view of gaining strength in the South and West. This is a happy idea and we hope they will do it and at the same time publicly embrace A. P. A's. A triple alliance of this kind would do the Democratic party a great deal of good, and give it another President in 1896.—*New Orleans States, Dem.*

—— Our anglophobes who believe that having imports in excess of exports means ruin will derive delight from the fact that in the year just ended imports into Great Britain were worth $2,042,528,500 and exports but $1,080,971,000, making a "balance of trade" against the old country of nearly a billion on the year's business. What is more, this has been going on for years. But the old country seems to like to get in more than it sends out and keeps it up. In 1894 imports increased $10,000,000 over 1893, while exports decreased $9,500,000. According to Dun's, the United States has been exporting some $25,000,000 a month more than it has been importing.—*Baltimore Sun, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "Ef dar warn't some charity foh human defecks," said Uncle Eben, "dah couldn't be much self-esteem."—*Washington Star.*

— "I see the celebrated singer, Miss Manywed has become reconciled to her husband."

"Indeed? Which one?"—*Washington Star.*

— An amateur editor has just made a fortune by his pen. His father died of grief after reading one of his leading articles and left him 50 000 pounds.—*Tid-Bits*

— He—I never smoke a cigarette without thinking what a fool I am."

She—I didn't know before that there was any virtue in a cigarette at all."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— "I don't belong to any of those good government clubs," soliloquized the policeman, "but one of them belongs to me." Then he sauntered up the alley and whacked a hoodlum over the head with it.—*Exchange.*

— "This passage," said the publisher to the great author, "seems ambiguous to me. What do you mean by it?" "I don't know," replied the great author. "I left it there for the commentators to work over when I'm dead."—*Washington Star.*

— Too Late—Isaacs—I vos so sorry to hear your cashier vent off mit dwenty tousand tolars. Vill you be able to pull through, or must you make an assignment?

Cohen—Vot's der use? Der scoundrel has all my money!—*Puck.*

ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Twenty-Five Choice Novels for One Coupon and One Dollar—Note the Authors.

Examine this list of standard novels. You can get the 25 books for one coupon and One Dollar, and they will be sent post-paid to any address. See announcement in another column for coupon and complete list of books.

THESE 25 FOR ONE DOLLAR.

No. 51—A Rogue's Life; By Wilkie Collins.
No. 50—Treasure Island; By Robert L Stevenson.
No. 48—The Red Hill Tragedy; By Emma D E N Southworth
No. 44—In Durance Vile; By "The Duchess."
No. 43—Meeting Her Fate; By Miss M E Braddon.
No. 42—Hickory Hall; By Emma D E N Southworth
No. 40—The Heiress of Hilldrop; By Charlotte M Braeme, author of "Dora Thorne"
No. 36—Grandfather's Chair; By Nathaniel Hawthorne
No. 33—The Surgeon's Daughter; by Sir Walter Scott.
No. 31—No Thoroughfare; By Charles Dickens and Wilkie Collins.
No. 29—The Wandering Heir; By Charles Reade.
No. 27—The Squire's Darling; By Charlotte M Braeme, author of "Dora Thorne"
No. 23—The Siege of Granada By Sir E Bulwer Lytton.
No. 22—The Sea King; by Captain Marryat.
No. 20—Mr Gilfil's Love Story, By Geo Eliot.
No. 19—The Armorer of Tyre; By Sylv Cobb, Jr.
No. 17—Rock Ruin, or The Daughter of the Island, By Mrs Ann S Stephens.
No. 16—A Study in Scarlet; By A Conan Doyle.
No. 14—Nurse Revels Mistake; By Florence Warden
No. 13—The Black Tulip; by Alexander Dumas.
No. 11—The Belle of Lynn, or The Miller's Daughter; By Charlotte M Braeme, author of Dora Thorne
No. 9—The Black Dwarf; By Sir Walter Scott.
No. 8—The Corsican Brothers; By Alex Dumas.
No. 6—King Solomon's Mines; By H Rider Haggard
No. 1—The Scarlet Letter; By Nathaniel Hawthorne

A MONOPOLIST'S WANTS.

BY SAM WALTER FOSS.

My wants are few, I sit serene
Upon contentment's highlands.
If I can have earth's continents
I care not for its islands.
I would not climb upon a throne
Through seas of bloody slaughter,
If I can call all lands my own,
Why you can have the water.

Give me but these, they are enough
To suit my humble notion,
And you can have for all your own
The land beneath the ocean,
And 'tis a generous slice of earth,
And doubtless quite prolific,
If you can only drain it once;
The bed of the Pacific.

And all I ask is just this earth,
To regulate and man it,
And I surrender all my claims
To every other planet.
And so you see I cut my cloth
On a contracted pattern.
Give me the earth, I'll drop all claim
To Uranus and to Saturn.

Little I need, my wants are few.
Nor would I have them greater,
I only want the land between
The poles and the equator.
Give me the earth, 'tis all I ask,
For me and my wife Sarah.
Then I'll give all my fellow men
A house and lot in Sahara.

The earth is very, very small,
And not in good repair;
Compared with Sirius it is
A very small affair.
And I just want it while I live
And Death, I'll not resist him,
For after death I hope to get
The whole great solar system.

Yankee Blade.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Beaufort *Herald*: Mrs. Sallie Simpson, aged 85 years, died at the home of her son, Mr. B. L. Glancy, on Monday.

— Roanoke *Beacon*: We learn that Mr. Horace Phelps, of near Columbia, died on Monday, aged about 60 years.

— Rockingham *Rocket*: Mrs. Ann Moore died at her nephew's home in Pee Dee village, the 25th of December, of pneumonia and old age.

— Wilson *Advance*: It is thought that a large crop of tobacco will be planted in this section this year, and a corresponding decrease in the acreage of cotton.

— Chatham *Record*: We regret to hear of the death of Mr. D. W. Coggin, of Richmond, which occurred on the 1st just after a long sickness. He was 57 years old and was one of Chatham's best citizens.

— Mount Airy *News*: Surry county raised one of the largest crops of corn and bacon ever raised in the county.

—— In spite of the depression of the times and the scarcity of money, the cotton manufacturers are doing a prosperous business. Both the Laurel Bluff and the Hamburg Mills are now running on nearly double time and Mr. Thompson says it will take him two months to fill his present orders.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: Mr. Arthur Wheliss, of the Ansonville neighborhood, is the proud owner of a very remarkable hen, a hen that has distinguished herself by performing a feat that no hen ever before accomplished, namely, the killing of a large blue-tail chicken hawk. The hen, as protectress of a brood of fine young chickens, met the hawk in a fair battle last Sunday morning, and after a desperate fight finally killed his hawkship outright, and carried every one of her chicks in triumph from the field.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: It seems that Wayne county has had another murder. Last Saturday at the saw mill of Mr. Gard Thompson, some five miles from this city, Isaac Yelverton, colored, struck Mr. John Henry Davis, white, the sawyer of the mill, over the head with a piece of timber, from which blow Davis died Wednesday night. Dr. Thos. Hill, yesterday held an inquest on the body and the jury rendered a verdict of death in consequence of the blow. Yelverton made off as soon as he struck Davis and has not yet been captured.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

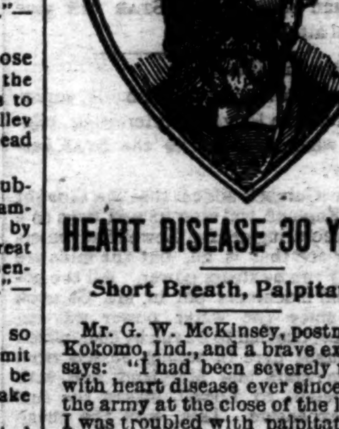
— Sloth makes all things difficult, but industry all things easy.—*Franklin*

— The shadow of human life is traced upon a golden ground of immortal hope.—*G. S Hillard.*

— In the day of prosperity we have many refuges to resort to; in the day of adversity only one.—*H Bonar.*

— Death has nothing terrible which life has not made so. A faithful Christian life is the best preparation for eternity.—*Tryon Edwards.*

— He who is taught to live upon little owes more to his father's wisdom than he that has a great deal left him does to his father's care.—*William Penn.*



HEART DISEASE 30 YEARS!

Short Breath, Palpitation.

Mr. G. W. McKinsey, postmaster of Kokomo, Ind., and a brave ex-soldier, says: "I had been severely troubled with heart disease ever since leaving the army at the close of the late war. I was troubled with palpitation and shortness of breath. I could not sleep on my left side and had pain around my heart. I became so ill that I was much alarmed, and fortunately my attention was called to

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure

I decided to try it. The first bottle made a decided improvement in my condition, and five bottles have completely cured me."

G. W. McKINSEY, P. M., Kokomo, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Monthly Pains cured by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

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JOHN H. HANBY,

GENERAL

Contractor and Builder.

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Office at Divine & Chadbourn's, 10 Market street. Residence 118 South Sixth street. Jan 6 1m

THE STAR'S FASHION HINTS.

WINTER FASHIONS.

Velvet Bodices With Glace Silk Skirts—Return of the Circular.

The fashion of wearing a bodice different from the skirt shows no diminution in favor, in spite of its long continuation. The latest thing is to have a glace silk skirt and a velvet corsage. A novel fashion of making the skirt is to have it draped like a bow at the waist in the back. The bodice is often plainly fitted behind, but plaited or gathered in front.

A great deal of rich embroidery is worn this season, either in applique or worked upon the body of the goods itself. Beaded and metallic effects increase its splendor as well as its expense. It would seem that this season will mark the crisis of the period of brilliance and elaboration. A revulsion is bound to take place in due time, of course, and everybody will then dress in black or mode colors on the plea of quiet elegance.

Everything is acceptable for millinery use at present, not only ribbon, flowers and feathers, but passementerie, jewelry,

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real lace, fur—anything that can be made small enough to go on a hat or bonnet may be employed.

The artificially colored green carnation has a rival—blue chrysanthemum. There are evidently a large enough number of persons of abnormal taste to make the creation of these floral monstrosities worth while; otherwise they would not be so generally seen in flower dealers' windows, but it seems curious that anybody cares to buy them. The next chemical production will probably be an indigo rose.

The cape is the favorite winter wrap. As was prophesied, the old fashioned full length circular has returned, amplified and ornamented, but still the same. No longer confined to evening wear, it is venturing into the light of day and appearing upon the street. A sketch is given of a full length cape of green damasse, lined with wadded bengaline of the same color. It is of ample width and has a wide watteau plait at the back. A pelerine of green velvet falls over the shoulders and is fastened at the throat under an immense draped bow of velvet with long bias points. The bottom of the cape and the edge of the pelerine are trimmed with fur.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

HATS AND BONNETS.

Bright Mauve and Pink the Latest Color Combination—Metallic Effects.

Steel is the correct trimming for hats and bonnets, used either instead of jet or with it, and fur appears to be indispensable as well. An odd ornament just coming into favor consists of wings cut out of astrakhan fur and maintained in shape by means of wire. Lace wings were curious enough, but as compared with those of fur the lace had at least some suggestion of aerial lightness. There are lace stitches not unlike the wings of dragon flies, but the idea of locomotion by flight is ludicrously inconsistent with that of fur clad animals. Some of the newest of the quill and ostrich feathers for hat and bonnet trimmings are propped up with all sorts of irrelevant additions of jet and steel. Occasionally the feathers are embroidered all round with a tracery of steel laid on

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the edge and are so transformed that the original wearers would never recognize their own plumes.

There are also new bonnets which are masses of bright metallic glinting, a union of steel, gold, silver, with jet.

Astrakhan is the favorite fur for hat trimmings, as sable is for bonnets. Many of the new hats are in long haired silk beaver, and these are, almost without exception, trimmed with black.

Velvet dahlias, double or single, are the newest flowers. They are in all the natural colors and a few others never seen before.

Several of the new hats are in two shades of blue, sapphire or navy, combined with periwinkle or cornflower.

Bright mauve and pink is the latest millinery combination of colors and seems to be a favorite one with Parisian artists.

Some of the prettiest evening bonnets consist of merely a fillet of jet, paste or metal, a skillfully arranged twist of velvet, a little bunch of flowers resting on the hair and some sort of an erect ornament.

The hat shown in the sketch is of black silk beaver. It is trimmed with a cluster of black ostrich plumes, while a torsade of old rose miroir velvet is placed under the bent brim.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

An electric machine has been invented to "unhair" sealskins. The long stiff hairs in the fur have heretofore been removed by hand.

None of His Business.

Miss Irene—The odious creature! She turned and looked at me after we had passed each other.

Cousin Jack—How do you know she did?—Chicago Tribune.

A Pointer.

"That government is best which governs the least."

When little Johnny read this, he said, "I'll have to show that to dad."—Boston Transcript.

J. H. HARDIN J. HICKS BUNTING, Druggists, recommend Johnson's Oriental Soap for all skin and scalp diseases, tan and sunburn and the complexion. †

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill. had a running sore on his leg of eight year's standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY's Drug Store. †

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Napoleon of German Descent.

An interesting theory regarding the origin of the Bonaparte family is formulated by the French historian, Peyre, in his work, "Napoleon I et son Temps." Peyre declares that the ancestors of the "Little Corsican" were German, and not Italian, and attempts to prove it as follows: "From the eleventh to the fourteenth century there lived in Genoa the influential and widely scattered German family bearing the name Cadalinger. The family was at all times a true ally of the German imperial party in Italy, and at the same time its members were the leaders of the citizens of Genoa and the guardians and protectors of municipal liberty and justice. For these reasons the family was greatly respected by both high and low. The people conferred upon them the popular and honorable title of 'buona parte'—that is, 'belonging to the good party.' This attribute or nickname adhered to the family even after it lost its wealth, influence and power.

"At this time certain members of the family entered the service of the St. George bank, which had many foreign possessions. Through it they went to Corsica. In order not to dim in any way the luster of their famous family name by accepting places so far beneath what their ancestors had had, they called themselves by their nickname, Buonaparte. From them are descended Napoleon I and his house."

Dr. Doyle's Thoughtful Act.

While Dr. Conan Doyle was in Boston he went out to Mount Auburn cemetery, and in the name of the London Society of Authors decorated the grave of Oliver Wendell Holmes. The memorial consisted of a number of palms tied with purple ribbon and ornamented with large bunches of English violets, bride roses and asparagus vines. The card attached read: "From the Society of Authors (London). A token of reverance and of love. A. Conan Doyle."—Boston Letter.

Wholesale Prices Current.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

BAGGING—			
2-lb Jute		@	6¼
Standard	7¼	@	
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ lb	13½	@	14
Sides ℔ lb	8½	@	10
Shoulders ℔ lb		@	8¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ lb	6½	@	7
Shoulders ℔ lb	6½	@	
BARRELS— Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 00	@	1 15
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ lb	....	@	30
BRICKS—			
Wilmington, ℔ M	7 00	@	7 50
Northern	9 00	@	11 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina, ℔ lb	15	@	25
Northern	28	@	35
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	58
Virginia Meal		@	58
COTTON TIES— ℔ bundle		@	70
CANDLES—℔ lb—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	9	@	10
CHEESE—℔ lb—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	12
State	....	@	10
COFFEE—℔ lb—	27	@	28
Laguyra	20	@	23
Rio	15	@	19
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	6		6¼
Yarns, ℔ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS—℔ dozen		@	20
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 25	@	4 00
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel		@	7 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 50	@	4 00
Dry Cod, ℔ lb	5	@	10
FLOUR—℔ barrel—			
Western, low grade	2 50	@	3 50
" Extra	2 75	@	4 25
" Straight	3 25	@	
Second Patent	3 50	@	
First Patent	4 25	@	4 50
City Mills—Super		@	2 50
" Family	3 25	@	
GLUE—℔ lb—	7½	@	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bags—White	55	@	60
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White	55	@	60
Corn, cargo, in bags—White	55	@	60
Corn, mixed, from store		@	60
Oats, from store		@	45
Oats, Rust Proof		@	55
Cow Peas		@	65
HIDES, ℔ lb—			
Green	....	@	4
Dry	....	@	3¼
HAY, ℔ 100 lbs—			
Eastern	....	@	1 00
Western		@	90
North River		@	90
HOOP IRON, ℔ lb	2	@	2¼
LARD, ℔ lb—			
Northern	6½	@	9
North Carolina	6½	@	9
LIME, ℔ barrel	....		1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M feet—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-Edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds	..	@	26
" " " in bbls	....	@	26
Porto Rico, in hhds	25	@	27½
" " in bbls		@	27
Sugar-House, in hhds	....	@	14
" " in bbls	....	@	16
Syrup, in bbls	25	@	45
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis		@	1 25
OILS, ℔ gallon—			
Kerosene	10	@	14
Lard	....	@	68
Linseed	75	@	80
Rosin	15	@	18
Tar	....	@	30
Deck and Spar	....	@	35
POULTRY—			
Chickens, Live, grown	20	@	25
" Spring	10	@	20
Turkeys	60	@	1 00
PEANUTS, ℔ bushel 28 lbs	35	@	50
POTATOES, ℔ bushel—			
Sweet	30	@	50
Irish, ℔ barrel	2 25	@	3 00
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	14 00
Rump		@	14 00
Prime		@	14 00
RICE—Carolina, ℔ lb	4	@	5
Rough—℔ bushel (Upland)	60	@	70
" " (Lowland)	1 00	@	1 15½
RAGS, ℔ lb—Country	....	@	1¼
Cith	....	@	1
ROPE, ℔ lb	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack—Alum	....	@	75
Liverpool	....	@	65
Lisbon	....	@	....
American	....	@	65
On 125 ℔ Sacks	45	@	50
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ℔ M	5 00	@	7 00
Common	2 00	@	2 50
Cypress Saps	4 50	@	5 00
Cypress Hearts	....	@	7 50
SUGAR, ℔ lb—Standard Granu'd		@	4½
Standard A		@	4⅜
White Ex C		@	4⅜
ExtraC, Golden		@	4
C, Yellow		@	3⅝
SOAP, ℔ lb—Northern	3¼	@	....
STAVES, ℔ M—W O. Barrel	8 00	@	14
R O Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	12 00	@	13 00
Mill, Prime	8 00	@	9 50
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	7 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	5 00
Inferior to Ordinary	3 00	@	4 00
TALLOW, ℔ lb	5	@	
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon— Northern	1 00	@	2
North Carolina	1 00	@	2
WOOL, ℔ lb—Washed	14	@	
Clear of burs	10	@	
Burry		@	

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Jan. 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Firm at 25 cents per gallon bid. Sales later at 25½ cents.

ROSIN—Market firm at 97½ cts per bbl. for Strained, and $1.02½ for Good Strained bid.

TAR.—Market steady at 95 cents per bbl. of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1 10 for Hard, $1 50 for Yellow Dip and $1 70 for Virgin.

COTTON.—Dull.

Ordinary	3⅝	cts ℔ lb
Good Ordinary	3⅞	" "
Low Middling	4 9-16	" "
Middling	5	" "
Good Middling	5 5-16	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	507	bales
Spirits Turpentine	98	casks
Rosin	358	bbls
Tar	148	bbls
Crude Turpentine	00	bbls

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, January 12—Evening—Money on call was quoted at 1@1½ per cent Prime mercantile paper 3@4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾@488 for sixty days and 488¾@489 for demand. Commercial bills 486¾@487¼. Government bonds steady; United States coupon fours 113; United States twos 97. State bonds higher; North Carolina fours 98; North Carolina sixes 126. Railroad bonds strong

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day was 60@60⅜.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK January 12—Evening—Cotton closed dull; middling gulf 6c; middling uplands 5⅝c.

Futures closed dull, with sales of 17,400 bales; January 5 54c; February 5.54c; March 5.58c; April 5.62c; May 5 67c. June 5.71c; July 5.75c. August 5 80c; September 5.83; October 5.89c

Net receipts 28 bales; gross receipts 12,120 bales; exports to Great Britain 7,669 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 699 bales; forwarded 7,181 bales; sales — bales, sales to spinners — bales; stock (actual) 129,868 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 25,331 bales; exports to Great Britain 26,755 bales; exports to France 6,528 bales; exports to the Continent 11,782 bales; stock 1,111,852 bales.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 5,516,127 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,990,519 bales; exports to France 530,793 bales; exports to the Continent 1,407,667 bales; to the Channel — bales.

Flour quiet and firm at quotations; winter wheat, low grades $2 05@$2 60; fair to fancy grades $2 50@2 95; patents $2 75@3 30; Minnesota clear $2 30@2 70; patents $3 60@3 95; low extras $2 05@2 60. Southern flour quiet and steady, common to fair extra $2 10@3 00; good to choice do. $3 10@3 50. Wheat quiet; firmer with options, No. 2 red in store and at elevator 62c; afloat 63½; options advanced ⅛@⅝c, fell ⅛@⅛c, closing steady at ⅜c over yesterday, with trade fair; No. 2 red January 62c; February 62¼c; March 62⅞c; May 63¼. Corn dull but steady; No. 2 at elevator 52½@52⅝c; afloat 53½c; options were dull but firm at ⅛c advance, January 52⅝c; February 52c; May 51⅝c. Oats quiet and steady; options dull and firmer; January 34c; February 34½c; May 35c; spot—No. 2, 34¼@34¾c; mixed Western 35@35½. Hay dull and easy; shipping 50@55; good to choice 70@75c. Wool in moderate demand and steady; domestic fleece 15@20c; pulled 12@34c; Texas 9@12c. Beef dull, unchanged; beef hams quiet at $17 00; tierced beef dull; city extra India mess $16 00@17 00. Cut meats quiet and easy; pickled bellies 6@6½c; pickled shoulders 4½@4⅝c; pickled hams 8@8½c. Lard quiet and firmer; Western steam $7 15@7 17½; city $6 62½; Juanary $7 15, nominal; May $7 35, nominal; refined lard was dull; Continent $7 70; South America $8 00, compound $5 50@5 62½. Pork dull, steady; mess $12 75@13 25. Butter dull and easy; State dairy 10@20, do. creamery 16@24c; Western dairy 10@15c; do. creamery 16@25½c; Elgins 25½c. Cotton seed oil quiet, barely steady; crude 24@24½c; yellow prime 29c; do. choice 30c Petroleum nominal. Rice firm, demand fair; domestic, fair to extra 4½@6c; Japan 4¼@4½c. Molasses firm and unchanged. Peanuts easy. Coffee—options steady and 5@15 points up. March $13 80@13 90, May $13 65@13 80; September $13 75@13 80; December $13 80; spot Rio steady but dull; No. 7, $15 75. Sugar—raw dull but steady; fair refining 2⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test 3c; refined dull but steady and unchanged. Freights to Liverpool dull and weak; cotton per steamer ⅛d asked; grain per steamer 1¼d, nominal.

CHICAGO, January 12—Cash quotations: Flour quiet and steady; prices unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring 56½@61½c; No. 2 red 54¼@55c. Corn—No. 2, 45⅝c. Oats—No. 2, 29⅜c. Mess pork, per bbl, $11 50@11 62½. Lard—per 100 lbs., $6 85@6 87½. Short ribs—per 100 lbs. $5 85@5 90. Dry salted shoulders—per 100 lbs., $4 75@4 87½. Short clear sides, boxed—per 100 lbs $6 10@6 15. Whiskey $1 23.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 January 54⅜@54½, 55, 54⅜@54½, 54⅜@55c; May 58⅜@58⅛, 58⅜@58⅞, 58½@59⅛, 58⅝@58⅞; July 58⅞, 59⅜@59⅛, 58⅝, 59⅛@59⅝c Corn—No. 2, January 45¼, 45¼, 45⅝, 46c; May 47⅞@48, 48⅛, 47⅞@48, 48⅛@48⅝c; July 47½, 47⅛, 47⅝, 47⅝c. Oats—No. 2 January 28⅛, 28⅜, 28⅛, 28⅜; May 31, 31⅛, 31, 31⅛@31⅛. Mess pork, per bbl, January $11 50; 11 50, 11 50, 11 50; May $11 80, 11 82½, 11 80, 11 82½. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $6 85, 6 85, 6 85, 6 85; May $6 97½, 7 02½, 6 97½, 7 02½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $5 85, 5 85, 5 85, 5 85; May $6 00, 6 02½, 6 00, 6 02½.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 12—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat firm; No. 2 red, spot January 60¼@60⅜c; February 60⅜@60⅝c; March 61⅜@61⅝c; May 63½@63¾c; steamer No. 2 red 57½@57⅝c; Southern wheat, by sample, 61@62c; do on grade 58⅝@61⅝c. Corn firm; spot and January 48½@48⅝c; February 48⅝c bid; May 51c bid; steamer mixed 47½c bid; Southern white corn 48@49½c; do yellow 48@49½c. Oats firm; No. 3 white, Western 38½c asked; No. 2 mixed Western 35½c asked.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

January 12—Galveston, firm at 5 3-16c—net receipts 6 900 bales, Norfolk steady at 5½c—net receipts 1 023 bales Baltimore, dull at 5⅝c—net receipts — bales; Boston, dull, easier at 5⅝c—net receipts 576 bales; Wilmington, dull at 5c—net receipts 597 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 6c—net receipts 431 bales; Savannah, quiet, steady at 5¼c—net receipts 2,496 bales; New Orleans quiet, steady at 5¼—net receipts 10,819 bales; Mobile, nothing doing at 5c—net receipts 1,036 bales; Memphis, steady at 5¼—net receipts 1,120 bales; Augusta, very steady at 5¼c—net receipts 869 bales; Charleston, firm at 5¼c—net receipts 1,088 bales; Cincinnati, steady at 5½—net receipts 1,200 bales; Louisville, firm at 5 3-16; St. Louis, steady at 5¼c—net receipts 804 bales; Houston, quiet at 5¼c—net receipts 5 868 bales.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 12.—Noon—Cotton. American middling 3 1-16d; sales 8 000 bales, of which 7,100 were American; speculation and export 500 bales. Receipts 59,000 bales, of which 56,200 were American. Futures opened easier and demand moderate. January 2 63-64d; February and March 3d; March and April 3 1 64d; May and June 3 4-64d; June and July 3 5-64d; August and September 3 8 64d; September and October 3 9-64d Futures quiet but steady at the decline.

1 P M—Cotton. American middling 3 1-32d; January 3 62 64d, buyer; January and February 2 63 64d; February and March 3d, buyer; March and April 3 1 64d, seller; April and May 3 2-64d, buyer; May and June 3 3 64d, seller; June and July 3 5-64d, seller; July and August 3 6-64d, seller; August and September 3 8-64d, seller; September and October 3 9 64d. Futures closed dull.

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MARINE.

Port Almanac—January 13.

Sun Rises	7.09 A M
Sun Sets	5.09 P M
Day's Length	10 h 00 m
High Water at Southport	9 28 P M
High Water at Wilmington	11 15 P M

ARRIVED.

Steamship Croatan, Hansen, New York, H G Smallbones.

Nor barque Sondre, 585 tons, Nielsen, Hamburg, Jas T Riley, & Co.

CLEARED.

Schr Maggie Cain, Queen, New York, Geo Harriss Son & Co; cargo by Peregoy Lumber Co.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Schr Maggie Cain—304,000 feet lumber.

MARINE DIRECTORY

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., January 13, 1895

STEAMSHIPS.

Turquoise (Br), 1355 tons, Thomson, Alex Sprunt & Son.

Remus (Br), 1,722 tons, Schwaner, Alex Sprunt & Son.

BARQUES.

Viola (Br), 595 tons, Clemens, N F Powers, Gibbes & Co.

Linda (Nor), 332 tons, ———, S W Skinner.

BRIGS.

Arcadia, 283 tons, Fisher, Geo Harriss Son & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Boniform (Br), 147 tons, Potter, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Mabel Darling 112 tons, Roberts, Cronly & Morriss.

City of Philadelphia, — tons, Dodd, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Robert A Snow, — tons, Pillsbury, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Zimri S Wallingford, 281 tons, Higbee, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Cora M Mitchell, 136 tons, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Percy W Schall, 228 tons, Hubbark, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Turban (Br), 167 tons, Hill, J H Chadbourn & Co.

Helen Montague, 387 tons, Adams, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Anna V Lamson, 321 tons, Dole, Geo Harriss Son & Co.

Sebago, 292 tons, Thompson, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

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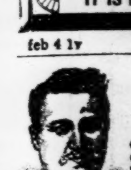

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The Morning Star.

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ABOUT THE WEASEL.

A Graceful Little Creature, Full of Shyness, Shrewdness and Cruelty.

The weasel is one of the prettiest and most graceful creatures that can be imagined. It lives in all cool countries and makes its home in hollow trees, in stone heaps or in any convenient hole where it can find shelter.

It is no larger than a good sized rat, but has longer legs. It has a long, lithe, slender body, long neck and dainty little head, with small, smooth, sleek hair of a brown color on its back and white below. It has long whiskers on its nose and a very short tail. Its weapons are its strong claws and sharp teeth, which it knows how to use so well that many larger animals live in constant terror of it. The weasel itself has very few enemies. Even the powerful birds of prey, which are ever on the alert for rabbits and other small game, rarely swoop down on the weasel, for, although they can easily carry it away in their strong talons, it often proves very troublesome booty. A hunter once noticed a hawk, high in the air, which was flapping its wings violently and apparently in great trouble. Suddenly it darted and fell to the earth almost at the hunter's feet, where it lay gasping and dying, while a tiny weasel sprang from the heap of feathers and scampered away to hide itself in the stone wall near by. On examining the bird the hunter found that its throat was torn to pieces by the weasel's sharp teeth. The little creature, although unable to escape from the powerful grip of the hawk, had twisted itself until it could reach the hawk's throat, when it easily inflicted a deadly wound.

The defenseless hares and rabbits are bitterly persecuted by the weasel, which springs upon them, and with wonderful instinct knows exactly where to fasten its sharp teeth. The unfortunate hare may scamper away as fast as it can, but its enemy clings to its neck, and the poor little animal must soon fall, faint and dying, from loss of blood.

Rats and mice, squirrels, moles, frogs and birds of all kinds are hunted by the weasel, and it may often be seen twisting itself in and out of stone heaps or walls in the vicinity of barnyards, where it watches for chickens, doves and other domestic fowls.

If taken very young, weasels may be tamed, and a whole army of cats will not free a house so quickly of rats and mice as will one little weasel. Pussy must sit patiently by the rat's hole and wait until the mischievous beast ventures forth, but where a rat can go the weasel can follow. Weasels and ferrets are often kept on board of ships and are petted by the sailors, for a ship with a weasel as passenger is free from rats.

There are many pretty stories told of tame weasels and of the affection they manifest toward those who care for them. A lady who received a present of a very small and very young weasel fed it with milk, which it drank from her hand. The little creature became so attached to its mistress that whenever she called it it would instantly appear from whatever corner in which it was curled up and would climb all over her like a squirrel. It never bit her and would play with her cat and dog, often riding around on their backs, but it never injured them. Its curiosity afforded its mistress much amusement. If she opened a box or trunk, Master Weasel would raise himself on his hind legs and make an effort to peep inside.

This little creature is much hunted by man, and large numbers are caught in traps, it being a general impression that they do more harm than good, but although a weasel may now and then carry off a chicken from the farmyard it does much more good by freeing barns and cornfields of mice and other small destructive animals.—Troy Press.

Heart of a Seventeenth Century Hero.

The Gazette de Lausanne announces that in the church at Aubonne the tomb which, according to the Latin inscription on the memorial stone, contains the heart of the famous French naval commander, Abraham du Quesne, was formally opened in the presence of the authorities, and a small silver box was found in a cavity hollowed out of the rock. The box was opened and found to contain a human heart incased in lead. A record of the discovery was drawn up by a notary, and the box was then replaced, pending its removal to Dieppe, the municipality of which town had expressed a desire to have the relic, Du Quesne having been born at the Norman seaport in 1610. The commander, who died in 1688, was the hero of the defense of Bordeaux against the English and Spaniards in 1650. He also won a brilliant victory over the famous Dutch admiral, De Ruyter, in 1676. Although known to history as Admiral du Quesne, he never enjoyed the title officially, his profession of the Protestant faith having prevented his attaining flag rank.

Birch Rods For British Undergrads.

I am glad to have received from an Oxford man a cordial indorsement of my suggestion for the use of the birch in the university on the persons of undergraduates given to "ragging" and similar follies. I learn from this correspondent that corporal punishment was one of the wise institutions founded at Oxford by Alfred the Great—the Solomon of our royal line—and I am favorably impressed by the suggestion which my correspondent goes on to make—that the college bursars, having few or no useful functions to perform, should be armed with rods and transformed into college birchers. No doubt some sentimentalists will protest against the birch as a humiliation to the dignity of the university "man." When, however, a man is not a man, but a schoolboy, common sense suggests that he should be treated as a schoolboy.—London Truth.

Colored Dress Coats.

A London paper prints this remarkable bit of news:

"Even if English society hesitates before adopting the colored coats for evening dress, America has decided to take the step. At some of the most fashionable gatherings coats in claret color and navy blue, with plush knee breeches fastened with three buttons, black silk stockings and shoes, with black buckles, have been seen. So far Mr. Ward McAllister has not been tempted to desert the conventional, but he is believed to be favorably disposed toward the innovation."

While on the topic of men's fashions it might be well to add that The Court Journal says that there is "a fad coming on rather strongly" among English swells of the sterner sex "for submitting the arm to the process of tattooing" as "an indelible device to affirm indelible love." The writer adds:

"But it will be there as an accusing evidence perhaps in many cases of a past and no longer existing affection. It would be much more intelligent if the hero of a true love were to have a gold bracelet riveted tightly round his wrist. It is a foreign custom which is being largely patronized in England by some men. Moreover, it may be considered as a voucher for being the possessor of a little superfinity of gold—and even some rainy, unforeseen day may come, in useful when filed off."

Domestic.

As her eyes rested upon the patient figure of her husband her heart smote her.

"Dearest."

He started timidly, seemingly disconcerted by her unwonted manner.

"Dearest," she repeated tenderly, "those biscuits were better than mother used to make."

He was silent, but as he finished washing the dishes and proceeded to sew a button on her bloomers a glad smile irradiated his countenance.

A kindly word had lifted his burden.—Detroit Tribune.

His Color Was Against Him.

"I understand that the angels have left a baby brother at your house," said Uncle Charley.

"I dunno," replied little Ben doubtfully. "He's red enough to have come from the other place."—Brooklyn Life.

The Stage.

Dipping his golden pen into his crystal inkstand, the dramatic critic wrote thus:

"The chief interest, of course, centered in the debut of Miss de Whoop as Ophelia. Miss de Whoop has a magnificent presence, good voice and fine appreciation of her lines, but she is obviously handicapped in that she was only charged with cruelty and inhuman treatment. She was quite unable to hold the interest of the large and cultured audience last night and did not receive a single curtain call.

"The friends of Miss de Whoop comfort themselves with the reflection that she is still young and will undoubtedly develop."

Thoughtfully lighting a cigar, the critic started for home.

"Too bad," he muttered as he strode toward a hot tamale man.

His thoughts were still with the star of the evening, and yet they say dramatic critics have no hearts.—Detroit Tribune.

Exact.

While the late Lord Coleridge was at Oxford it was his duty as a fellow to read the lessons in chapel, and one day he read, by mistake, the second lesson where he should have read the first. To conclude it in the orthodox way was hardly correct, as it was not the second lesson, but the first. Nor could it well be described as the first lesson, as properly it was the second. A moment's hesitation supplied him with the appropriate word, "Here endeth the wrong lesson."—Argonaut.

Good Reason.

An exchange reports the sarcastic saying of a master of elocution who was instructing an unusually dull pupil.

"When you have finished your lecture," said the teacher, "bow gracefully and leave the platform on tiptoe."

The pupil was dull, but not so very dull as not to feel surprised at this last remark.

"On tiptoe?" he said.

"Yes," answered the teacher, "so as not to wake the audience."—Youth's Companion.

Domestic Retrenchment.

Father (at tea)—We must retrench in every way, my dear, and you, too, Laura, must do your part.

"Yes, papa."

Father (next morning)—Had you company last night, Laura?

"Yes, papa; Mr. Billcoo was here."

"Seems to me you had very little light in the parlor."

"Yes, papa; I remembered what you said about my doing my part in retrenching."—Brooklyn Life.

Not Twins.

Mrs. M. met frequently two charming little girls going to school who looked each very much like the other.

One morning she asked one of them, "Are you twins, my dear?"

With an indignant shake of her curls, she answered:

"No'm! We's bof girls!"—Texas Siftings.

A Great Man.

"How did Sniffer make such a reputation as a detective? Was it some great case?"

"Well, rather. He was able to go through and understand portions of his wife's household account book."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Not to Be Hit When It's Down.

"Your mustache is beginning to force itself into notice, Henry," said the young lady to her lover.

"Yes," he replied, with a blush, "and if it continues to do so I suppose you will be calling it down."—New York Press.

Drawing the Line.

Dora—Clara Caraway says she passed you on the wheel yesterday and you wouldn't speak.

Cora—I should say not! She had on a pair of custom made bloomers.—Clothier and Furnisher.

The Kind It Was.

Loving Wife—But, my dear, why do they call it a stag party?

Fond Husband—Well, you see, my dear, there's generally a little game of some sort there.—New York World.

A New Regime.

Cobble—Granger told me the other day he got an elegant suit for only $8.

Stone—Great Scott! I didn't know he was married.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Sources and Sums of Orleans Legacy.

Most of the fortune of the Comte de Paris came from the Duchess of Galliera, who in dying left him, as representative of the monarchy, 25,000,000 francs. Out of the 45,000,000 francs divided among the princes after the Franco-German war he received between 7,000,000 francs and 8,000,000 francs. It is now estimated that his six children will, after the Comtesse de Paris has received her share of the estate, inherit 40,000,000 francs. The Duc d'Orleans, as head of the family, will have immediately £10,000 a year in addition to the allowance of £4,000 which he received from his father and mother on leaving the Clairvaux prison. He will also become owner of the Chateau d'Eu in Normandy, the land around which is being farmed on the English plan, and which is very productive as well as stocked abundantly with flocks and herds. The place is now managed by a steward of great experience. The magnificent demesne of Villamanrique, near Seville, will pass to the younger brother of the Duc d'Orleans, who inherits the Montpensier title.—Paris Correspondent.

A Lonesome Legislator.

The Tribune is pained to announce that the recount in Edmunds county, S. D., has resulted in making it appear that the Republican candidate has been elected to the legislature, thus reducing the Democratic membership in that body to a total of 1.—Sioux City (Ia.) Tribune.

BREVITIES

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

The Baroness Emma Sporri of Norway is said to be the best known woman painter in northern Europe.

The favorite daughter of the late Professor Helmholtz of Berlin is the wife of the eminent Dr. von Siemens.

Prince Francois de Paul von Lichtenstein, a near relative of the emperor of Austria, contemplates passing the winter in New York.

President Hill of the Great Northern railroad has donated 5,000 acres of land to families rendered homeless by the destruction of Hinckley.

The Princess of Wales has a great fondness for having her picture taken in "groups." The prince dislikes the ceremony as much as his spouse enjoys it.

Dr. James R. Cocke, a successful Boston physician, is perhaps the only man in the country who, though blind from infancy, took up the study of medicine and excelled in its practice.

The widow of Stonewall Jackson says that when he was courting her he made it a rule never to read one of her letters on Sunday or to send one to her so that it would be likely to be carried through the mails on that day.

The Rothschilds, by mutual consent, insist on keeping up a very charming custom. They own five beautiful chateaux at Ferrieres, a French town some 15 miles south of Paris, and here all the members of the family meet together once a year.

The title of the Duke of Buckingham is said to have brought disaster to all the families that have borne it. In the family that owned the ducal seat at Stowe the dukedom ended in misfortune and is now extinct, but the property is still owned by the daughter of the late duke.

Empress Eugenie is not going to Scotland this year, so she has declined Queen Victoria's offer of Abergeldie castle, and as that place will not be required by the Duke and Duchess of Connaught it has been "lent" by her majesty to Lord and Lady Carrington for six weeks.

Miss Ellen Triantifilo of Boston and Stillianes Billies of Springfield, Mass., were married the other evening in the latter city by Rev. Agathadorus A. Papageorgopoulas of New York. After the ceremony the Greek national dance was footed, and everybody kissed the groom instead of the bride.

STAGE GLINTS.

Owing to the illness of W. T. Carleton the Carleton Opera company will not go out this season.

Courtenay Thorpe is a member of Emily Bancker's company, playing in "Our Flat." He is "featured."

Pretty Annie Irish has been engaged to appear with Olga Nethersole during that actress' tour in this country.

Marie D. Shotwell has been engaged by Manager Rose for the production of "Paul Jones" at the Castle Square theater, Boston.

Amy Whaley of Pomeroy, O., was graduated recently from a school of music in Cincinnati. She is going abroad to prepare for a lyric career.

Margaret Fealy's manager says that she will resume her interrupted tour in December, but not with "May Blossom." A new piece is being arranged for.

De Wolf Hopper has withdrawn from the position of financial backer of the tour of Tim Murphy. George Richards and Eugene Canfield have joined Mr. Murphy's company.

Julia Arthur before she sailed for London said: "I have no definite plans. I may accept an engagement in London if I am offered one I like. It is probable, however, that I shall not return to America this season."

A clever Californian, Stella Alexander, has taken Eva Davenport's place as Octavie in "The Little Trooper." When "A Way to Win a Woman" has run its course at the Lyceum, New York, E. H. Sothern will be seen in a revival of one of his earlier pieces.

ODDS AND ENDS.

From one to four miles to the windward of a fog signal there is often a "dead space" where the signal cannot be heard.

Smokers' cramp is reported to be the disease of the moment in France and Spain and is caused by incessantly rolling cigarettes between the fingers.

England's penal colony in the Andaman islands contains 12,107 persons banished from British India. Of this number 8,675 were murderers, 44 poisoners, 1,841 robbers and 502 burglars.

There is in Paris a Russian horn band, each horn being capable of producing a single note only. So perfect is the training that the band produces the effect of one equipped with ordinary instruments.

The German foreign office has received from Africa a trunk containing Emin Pasha's diaries and records dating from October, 1874, to December, 1889. The government intends to publish all the documents at its own expense.

A proposed law that any new building erected in London shall have its front not less than 20 feet from the middle of the street has brought out the fact that there are in the heart of the city 32 miles of streets less than 40 feet broad.

The first book made of ground wood paper has been placed in the Berlin testing office for examination recently. It is said to be in good condition. As it was printed in 1852, very nearly half a century ago, the argument that wood paper has no durable qualities appears to be seriously shaken.

Sir Roger de Coverley.

But of all the things that Addison did there remains one pre-eminent creation which is his chief claim to immortality. "The Campaign" has disappeared out of literature; "Cato" is known only by a few much quoted lines; the "Spectator" itself, though a work which "no gentleman's library can be without," dwells generally in a dignified retirement there and is seldom seen on any table but the student's, though we are all supposed to be familiar with it, but Sir Roger de Coverley is the familiar friend of most people who have read anything at all, and the acquaintance by sight, if we may so speak, of everybody.

There is no form better known in all literature. His simple rustic state, his modest sense of his own importance, his kind and genial patronage of the younger world, which would laugh at him if it were not overawed by his modesty and goodness, and which still snickers in its sleeve at all those kind, ridiculous ways of his as he walks about in London, taken in on all sides, with his right hand always in his purse and his heart in its right place and always familiar and delightful. We seem to know Sir Roger from our cradle, though we may never even have read the few chapters of his history. This is the one infallible distinction of genius above all commoner endowments. Of all the actors in that stirring time Sir Roger remains the most living and real.—Mrs. M. O. W. Oliphant in Century.

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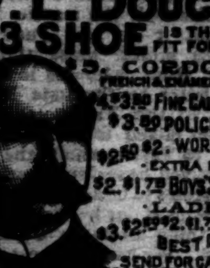

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RESOURCES.

Loans,		$498,757 77
Overdrafts,		20 02
U. S. 4 per cent. Bonds at par,		32,350 00
Banking House and fixtures,		14,600 00
Redemption Fund,		1,455 50
Due from other banks,		208,060 76
Cash on hand,		79,117 43
Total		$839,370 48

LIABILITIES.

Capital,		$125,000 00
Surplus,	$25,000 00	
Undivided Profits,	11,618 22	36,618 22
Circulation,		29,110 00
Deposits,		638,642 26
Total		$839,370 48

	Dec. 19, '92.	Dec. 19, '93.	Dec. 19, '94.
Surplus & Net Profits,	$7,545	$26,915	$36,618
Loans,	420,704	420,699	498,757
Banking House, &c.,	16,581	15,600	14,600
Premium on U.S. Bonds'	4,765	3,937	None.

Dividends Paid Within Last Year, $7,500.

New York correspondence— Chemical National Bank and Hanover National Bank.

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DAILY 7.00 P M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.31 p m, Warsaw 8.45 p m, Goldsboro 9.10 p m, Wilson 10.27 p m, Tarboro 6.58 a m, Rocky Mount 11.12 p m, Weldon 12.58 a m, Norfolk 10.25 a m, Petersburg 3.45 a m, Richmond 3.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.20 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

SOUTHBOUND:

DAILY 3.30 P M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.48 p m, Chadbourn 5.15 p m, Marion 6.31 p m, Florence 7.00 p m, Atkins 8.09 p m, Sumter 8.36 p m, Columbia 10.00 p m, Denmark 6.18 a m, Augusta 8.03 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 11.18 p m, Savannah 1.19 a m, Jacksonville 7.00 a m, St. Augustine 12.00 noon, Tampa 5.30 p m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.30 P M. No. 47—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.50 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 9.50 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.53 a m, Tarboro 12.20 p m, Rocky Mount 1.05 p m, Wilson 2.08 p m, Goldsboro 2.55 p m, Warsaw 3.49 p m, Magnolia 4.03 a m.

DAILY 10.00 a m. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 11.00 p m, New York 9.00 a m, Philadelphia 11.33 a m, Baltimore 2.13 p m, Washington 3.30 p m, Richmond 7.11 p m, Petersburg 7.4 p m, †Norfolk 2.10 p m, Weldon 9.27 p m, †Tarboro 5.50 p m, Rocky Mount 10.20 p m, arrive Wilson 11.03 p m, leave Wilson 6.35 a m, Goldsboro 7.20 a m, Warsaw 8.16 a m, Magnolia 8.29 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 11.00 A m. No. 56—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.30 a m, Sanford 10.20 a m, Jacksonville 3.30 p m, Savannah 10.00 p m, Charleston 3.35 a m, Columbia 4.30 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.10 p M, Denmark 4.37 p m, Sumter 5.47 p m, Atkins 6.23 a m, Florence 7.35 a m, Marion 8.16 a m, Chadbourn 9.20 a m, Lake Waccamaw 9.51 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.40 p m, Halifax 4.00 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 4.55 p m, Greenville 6.37 p m, Kinston 7.55 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11.00 a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrive Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 9.50; returning leaves Tarboro 4.50 p m; Parmele 6.10 p. m. arrives Washington 7.35 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N.C., daily except Sunday, at 5.00 p m; Sunday 3.00 p m; arrive Plymouth 9.00 p m, 5.20 p m. Returning, leave Plymouth daily except Sunday 6.00 a m, Sunday 9.30 a m; Arrive Tarboro 10.25 a m and 11.45 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6.05 a m; arrive Smithfield N. C., 7.30 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N. C. 8.00 a m; arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9.30 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8.35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9.05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.20 a m., connecting at Warsaw with main line trains.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 7.49 a m, arrive Latta 8.10 a m, Dunbar 7.50 p m, Dillon 8.23 a m. Leave Dillon 6.15 p m, Dunbar 6.30 a m, Latta 6.28 p m, arrive Pee Dee 6.49 p m, daily except Sunday.

Wilmington, Chadbourn and Conway Railroad leave Hub 8.15 a m, Chadbourn 9.00 a m, arrive Conway at 12.30 p m, leave Conway 2.00 p m, Chadbourn 5.35 p m, arrive Hub 6.20 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence 7.35 a m, 8.30 a m, 8.50 p m, arrive Darlington 8.15 a m, 9.05 a m, 9.15 p m, Hartsville 10.15 p m, Cheraw, S. C., 10.35 a m, Wadesboro 12.30 p m, leave Wadesboro 2.00 p m, Cheraw 3.45 p m, Hartsville 4.30 a m, Darlington 6.05 p m, 4.30 p m, 5.25 a m, arrive Florence 6.45 p m, 5 p m, 6 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 5.30 p m, Manning 6.21 p m, arrive Lane 7 p m, leave Lanes 8.38 a m, Manning 9.15 a m, arrive Sumter 9.44 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7.10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 a m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 8 p m, arrive Lanes 8.25 a m, 5.25 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.03 p m, 11.08 p m, arrive Selma 2.53 p m, Smithfield 3.03 p m, Dunn 3.44 p m, Fayetteville 4.30 p m, 12.55 a m, Rowland 5.55 p m, leave Rowland 6.30 p m, Fayetteville 10.10 a m, 9.19 p m, Dunn 11.03 a m, Smithfield 11.44 a m, Selma 11.12 a m, arrive Wilson 12.43 p m, 11.15 p m.

H. M. EMERSON, Ass't Gen'l Passenger Agent.

J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. jan 5 tf

Executrix's Notice.

HAVING qualified as executor of the will of the late Louis S. F. Brown, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same to me on or before the 21st day of December, A. D. 1895. MARY B. BROWN, Executrix.

Dec. 20th, 1894. dec 21 6t fri

W., N. & N. Railway.

In Effect Monday, Aug. 20, 1894.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

NORTH BOUND 4	NORTH BOUND 2	STATIONS.	SOUTH BOUND 1	SOUTH BOUND 3
P M	A M	—WILMINGTON—	A M	P M
2 20	7 00	Lv... Mulberry street ...Ar	11 50	7 00
2 40	7 15	Lv... Surry street ...Ar	11 40	6 50
4 22	8 17	Lv... Jacksonville ...Lv	9 57	4 30
4 54	10 37	Lv... Maysville ...Lv	9 24	3 20
5 08	11 18	Lv... Pollocksville ...Lv	9 10	3 00
5 45	12 00	Ar... Newbern ...Lv	8 35	2 20
P M	M		A M	P M

Trains 1 and 4 make close connection with trains on A. & N. C. R. R. for Morehead City and Beaufort.

Steamers on New River leave Jacksonville at 7.30 a m; returning leave Marine's 12 m, arriving at Jacksonville 3.00 p m, connecting with trains 4 and 3.

H. A. WHITING, General Manager.

J. W. MARTENIS, Traffic Manager. aug 21 tf

Annual Statement.

OFFICE REGISTER OF DEEDS NEW HANOVER COUNTY, Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 1st, 1894.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 713 of the Code, the undersigned herewith publishes the following, showing items and nature of all compensations audited by the Board of Commissioners, to the members thereof severally, from December 1st, 1893, to November 30th, 1894, both inclusive:

H. A. Bagg, Chairman—

For 19 days' service as Commissioner, at $2 per day,	$38 00
For 133 days' service as committeeman, at $2 per day,	266 00
For regular Monthly allowance as Chairman, at $15 per month,	180 00
	$484 00

B. G. Worth—

For 17 days' service as Commissioner, at $2 per day,	$34 00
For 29 days' service as committeeman, at $2 per day,	58 00
	$92 00

E. L. Pearce—

For 17 days' service as Commissioner, at $2 per day,	$34 00
For 12 days service as committeeman, at $2 per day,	24 00
For 690 miles traveled in attending said meetings,	34 95
	$92 95

B. S. Montford—

For 19 days' service as Commissioner, at $2 per day,	$38 00
For 7 days service as committeeman, at $2 per day,	14 00
For 248 miles traveled in attending said meetings,	13 80
	$65 80

J. C. Stevenson—

For 14 days' service as Commissioner, at $2 per day,	$28 00
For 11 days' service as committeeman, at $2 per day,	22 00
	$50 00
Total,	$784 75

There were no unverified accounts allowed, nor any allowance made the Board except as stated above. I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing statement. JOHN HAAR, Jr., Register of Deeds, Jan 5 4t fri Ex-Officio Clerk B'd Commissioners.

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WESTBOUND TRAINS.

Wilmington, N. C. Dec. 21, 1894	No 41 Daily	No. 23 Daily	No 403 Daily
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Wilmington	3 45	7 30	......
		A. M.	
Leave Maxton	6 41	12 55	......
Arrive Hamlet	7 25	2 15	......
Leave Hamlet	7 30	3 00	7 54
Leave Wadesboro	8 11	4 2	8 37
Arrive Monroe	9 00	5 5	9 22
Leave Monroe	9 20	6 3	9 37
Arrive Charlotte	10 00	7 45	10 25
Leave Charlotte			10 25
Leave Lincolnton			11 47
			P. M.
Leave Shelby			12 4
Arr Rutherfordton			2 10

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

	No. 38 Daily	No. 24 Daily	No 402 Daily
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Lve Rutherfordton	......	......	4 00
Leave Shelby	......	......	5 33
Leave Lincolnton	......	......	6 30
Arrive Charlotte	......	......	7 55
Leave Charlotte	5 50	5 00	7 55
Arrive Monroe	6 30	10 00	8 45
Leave Monroe	6 50	10 30	9 06
Leave Wadesboro	7 48	11 50	9 48
		A. M.	
Arrive Hamlet	8 40	1 05	10 20
Leave Hamlet	8 45	2 15	
Leave Maxton	9 28	3 21	
	P. M.		
Arrive Wilmington	12 30	7 50	

Schedule Between Wilmington and Raleigh.

Leave Wilmington	3.45 p m	7.30 p m
Arrive Raleigh	1.2 a m	11.10 a m
Leave Raleigh	5.13 a m	3.43 p m
Arrive Wilmington	12.30 p m	7.5 a m

Schedule between Wilmington and Atlanta.

Leave Wilmington	3.45 p m	7.30 p m
Arrive Atlanta	5 2 a m	4 00 p m
Leave Atlanta	9.15 p m	1.00 p m
Arrive Wilmington	12.30 p m	7.50 a m

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For information as to rates, schedules, &c, apply to THOS. D. MEARES, Agent S A L, Wilmington, N C.

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JOHN GILL, Receiver.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT NOV. 21, 1894

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 1.	MAIN LINE	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 2.
7 55 p. m.	Ar... Wilmington ...Lv	6 40 a. m
4 45 "	Lv... Fayetteville ...Ar	9 10 "
4 33 "	Ar... Fayetteville ...Lv	10 10
4 28 "	Ar Fayetteville Junc Lv	10 11 "
3 17 "	Lv.... Sanford ...Ar	11 31 "
1 32 "	Lv..... Climax.. ...Lv	1 31 p. m
1 01 "	Lv.... Greensboro... Ar	2 05 "
12 58 "	Ar.... Greensboro... Lv	2 55 "
12 13 "	Lv.... Stokesdale.... Ar	3 48 "
11 45 a m	Lv... Walnut Cove... Ar	4 20 "
11 35 "	Ar.. Walnut Cove... Lv	4 33 "
11 06 "	Lv.... Rural Hall... Lv	5 01 "
9 45 "	Lv..... Mt Airy..... Ar	6 25 "

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No 3.	Bennettsville Division.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 4.
7 50 p m	Ar... Bennettsville... Lv	6 45 a. m.
6 38 "	Lv...... Maxton.... Lv	7 52 "
6 02 "	Lv... Red Springs.... Lv	8 30 "
5 10 "	Lv... Hope Mills.... Lv	9 26 "
4 46 "	Lv..... Fayetteville... Ar	9 50

SOUTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 15. MIXED.	Factory and Madison Branches	NORTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 16. MIXED.
5 35 p m	Ar..... Ramseur ...Lv	6 50 a. m.
3 55 "	Lv..... Climax Lv	8 35 "
3 00 "	Lv ... Greensboro... Ar	9 20 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16. MIXED. daily ex su
Leave Greensboro............	9 40 a. m
Leave Stokesdale............	11 00 "
Arrive Madison............	11 50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. MIXED. daily ex su
Leave Madison............	12 30 p m
Leave Stokesdale............	1 25 "
Arrive Greensboro............	2 35 "

NORTH-BOUND CONNECTIONS.

Trains Nos. 2 and 4 make close connection at Fayetteville Junction with the Atlantic Coast Line for all points North and East. Train No. 2 connects at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, North and Southbound, and at Greensboro with the Richmond & Danville Railroad, North and South-bound, and at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk & Western R. R. for Winston-Salem. Train No 16 connects at Madison with Norfolk & Western Railroad for Roanoke and all points North and West.

SOUTH-BOUND CONNECTIONS.

Train No. 1 makes close connection at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk & Western Railroad for Roanoke and all points North and West; and at Greensboro with the Richmond & Danville Railroad, North and Southbound, and at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line for all Points North and South, and at Fayetteville Junction with Atlantic Coast Line for Charleston, Jacksonville, and all Florida points. Train No. 3 connects at Maxton with the Seaboard Air Line for Charlotte, Atlanta and all points South.

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NEW ENGLAND MILLS

That Anticipate Building Factories in the South—Their Reason for Removal.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

BOSTON, Jan. 12—Regarding the removal of cotton mills to the South, Mr. T. Jefferson Coolidge, treasurer of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., says:

This Southern movement is perfectly natural. Labor at the South is a great deal lower than in the North, the mills are nearer the cotton fields, and there is a great saving in freight rates. Again, Southern roads take cotton as fifth class, while Northern roads take it as second and third class, making a big difference; then there is a great difference in fuel. Labor, however, is the great saving, because operatives work more hours for less wages, and it is claimed a saving of two cents per pound can be made. The product of the Southern mills is sent mostly to Chicago and St. Louis.

"I think that Southern mills will increase. We are hampered here by trade unions, strikes and legislation, making it more difficult for us to manufacture at a profit, and unless the Legislature of Massachusetts turns around and assists the manufacturers, instead of doing all it can to injure them, there will be a further loss of business.

"Fine goods can be made cheaper in the South as well as coarse goods. It is claimed that Southern operatives are not as skilled as Northern operatives and that it takes too long to educate them, but this is false. Southern operatives are just as good in every respect, and it is only a question of time when fine goods will be made in the South.

"The New England mills that now anticipate building in the South are the Massachusetts, Boott, Dwight, Merrimac and Whittier."

THE NEBRASKA SUFFERERS

Express Appreciation of Efforts of Southern People to Relieve Their Distress.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 12.—Rev. Luther P. Ludden, general manager of the Nebraska State Relief Commission, Lincoln, Neb., writes to Mr R. H Edmonds, editor of the *Manufacturer's Record* under date of January 10th, as follows:

"Your letter to the Governor has been referred to us for answer. We fully appreciate the spirit which prompts you in taking hold of this movement and striving to help us to relieve the suffering on the borders of Nebraska. When the great cry came from Russia I believe Nebraska was the first to forward a train-load of supplies. In less than ten days we had three train-loads on the way to the mills to be put into what we considered the best product—meal—for the suffering Russians, and if there is any people in the land who will appreciate this effort of the South it is the people of Nebraska, as they see coming back to them that which they so kindly gave two years ago. On behalf of the thousands of drouth sufferers we desire to thank you, and through you the good people who are laboring to make this donation so marked a success."

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Wheat, Corn and Oats Higher—Pork Products Advanced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, January 12.—May wheat opened from 58⅝@58¾ to 58½c, sold between 58⅛ and 58⅝@58⅝, closing at 58⅝@58⅝c—⅛@⅝c higher than yesterday. Cash wheat was firm, sales averaging ⅛@¼c better than yesterday. Corn opened from 47⅞@48 to 48c, advanced to 48⅜c and closed at 48⅛@48⅜c—⅜@⅛c higher than yesterday. Cash corn was firm, maintaing previous advances.

May oats closed ⅛@⅜c higher than yesterday.

Provisions—Subsequent to a barely steady opening the product firmed and advanced a little on the speculative strength in grain. No change in prices of hogs was reported from the yards, although the different grades were irregular in tone as they were in greater or less supply. The close on May pork was 7½c higher than yesterday, on May lard a shade and on May ribs 2½c higher.

SPOTS AND FUTURES

Total Visible Supply of Cotton—New York Sun's Report.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, January 12.—The total visible supply of cotton of the world is 4,847 951 bales, of which 4,525,451 are American, against 4 601,614 bales and 4 127,414 bales respectively last year. Receipts of cotton this week at all interior towns, 108 849 bales. Receipts from the plantations, 173,441 bales. Crop in sight, 7,238,469 bales.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The *Sun* says: Cotton declined one to two points, recovered this and closed steady. Sales 16,500 bales. Liverpool declined one point and closed dull. 8 000 bales were sold on the spot at steady and unchanged prices. New Orleans declined one point for March. Spot cotton here was dull and unchanged. New Orleans receipts on Monday were estimated at 15 000 to 16 000 against 20 284 last Monday and 9,028 last year. Port receipts to-day were 25,231 against 23,071 on the same day last week, and 19 741 last year. Southern spot markets were generally steady or firm at unchanged prices. A Fall River dispatch said:

This market has been agitated and unsettled throughout. At the closing, however, it is quiet and easy on a basis of 2 9 16c for extras, sellers having successfully combatted the efforts of the buyers to bring the price to 2½c, the lowest price in the history of the country. Operators were on a more extended scale. Production 210 009 pieces; deliveries 226 009 pieces; sales 166,000 pieces, including 84,000 odds and 88,000 squares, of which 54,008 were spots and 122,000 futures. Stock 98 000 odds and 50 000 sixty-four squares; total, 148,000 pieces. If the price should recede to 2½c, there may be a return of the trouble experienced in August and during the Fall of 1894; but the depreciation in the value of the raw material offsets this in a great measure."

The market was as near stationary as it very well could be. Operators were holding off for further developments. Receipts are large, but prices are low. The speculation is very light. The cotton goods trade is in anything but a satisfactory condition. The receipts at the ports this week are estimated at 180 000 bales against 100 000 for the same week in the big crop year of 1892. The *Chronicle* states the visible supply as 140 000 bales more than in 1892, and the crop in sight as 7.238 000 bales, or 1,469,000 more than at this time last year.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, January 12.—Spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 27⅝@28⅜c. Rosin dull but steady; strained common to good $1 35@1 40.

CHARLESTON, January 12.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25½c; receipts 17 casks. Rosin firm; good strained $1 00; receipts 207 barrels.

SAVANNAH, January 12—Spirits turpentine firm at 26c for regulars; sales 898 casks; closed firm at 247 casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,000 barrels.

CONGRESS YESTERDAY.

THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE GOVERNMENT.

Discussed by Republican Senators in Debate on the Income Tax Feature of the Urgent Deficiency Bill.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, January 12.—The Urgent Deficiency bill was taken up, and Mr. Teller addressed the Senate. He held the close attention for over three hours of a large audience on the floor and in the galleries, as he delivered, with great earnestness and eloquence, his views on the financial condition of the Government. He held up to ridicule and contempt what he called the frantic appeals of the Executive Department, and said that those appeals showed that that branch of the Government was in wrong hands. He spoke of the Carlisle bill offered in the House as a bill which, for crudities and absurdities had had few equals in this or in any other Congress, and said that if it had been introduced by a member of the Populist party it would have been regarded as the height of lunacy. His own remedy for the existing condition of things was to enlarge the metallic basis of the currency by the restoration of silver money. Low prices in the United States and in the world were the result, he said, of the demonetization of silver. He declared himself ready to join in any compromise that was not a base surrender and abandonment of silver as a money, and by which silver could be replaced in the monetary system of the United States and in that of the world.

He was followed by Mr. Lodge (Rep., Mass) who announced his hostility to an income tax, not only because it was bad in itself, but because it was a great step towards the ruin of the protective system, and by Mr. Stewart (Pop., Nev) who saw in the full restoration of silver as money the only possible remedy for the existing financial troubles. Mr. Stewart had not finished his speech when, at 4 45, the Senate adjourned till Monday.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. Hatch, of Missouri, in accordance with the request of the National Dairy Union, expressed in a resolution adopted at the meeting of the union yesterday, attempted to-day to secure the passage of Mr. Groute's bill to make oleomargarine, butterine and imitations of dairy products subject to the laws of any State into which it may be transported. The effort met successful objection and the hour allotted for its consideration expired before a vote was reached. The divisions of the House upon preliminary question showed an overwhelming majority in its favor, so that its passage, when it again comes up, seems to be assured.

The bill codifying the pension laws and the four private Pension bills favorably acted upon at last night's session were passed.

At 4 o'clock the House adjourned until Monday.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Senate Finance Committee Unable to Come to an Agreement — An Alleged Filibustering Expedition.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, January 12.—The Senate Finance Committee was in session this morning for two hours and adjourned shortly after noon, as far away from an agreement of any sort as when it convened. Senator Jones, of Arkansas, one of the leading members of the majority was not present.

A prominent Democratic member of the committee, after adjournment, made the statement that nothing would come from any of the conferences the committee might have. The attitude of the Republicans, he said, and the position taken by the silver men were so antagonistic that no sort of a compromise could be arranged. From the stand-point of this Senator, nothing remains to be done but to pass the appropriation bills and quit, for he says it is apparent to Democrats who recognize the existing conditions that nothing more than this can be done.

The Treasury Department is informed that the yachts Lagonda and Amandis, which left New York early in January, are believed to be on a filibustering expedition. Assistant Secretary Wike has instructed Treasury officers at Savannah, Ga., Fernandina, Fla., and other points South, to look out for them and report any suspicious movements in contravention of the neutrality laws.

BOGUS RAILROAD TICKETS.

A Bold Swindle Perpetuated on Western Roads.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., January 12.—Frank and Charles Croney and Chas. K Kelly were arrested last night charged with a bold railroad ticket fraud. J. D. Ludwig, the principal conspirator, escaped but will be arrested soon. Ludwig was employed in the local office of General Ticket Agent Foster, of the Burlington. Last month he contracted with a local printing house for a large number of skeleton tickets. The coupon tickets purported to be the issue of the Georgia Midland & Atlantic Railway, a fictitious road. Ludwig had a stamp made with which the tickets were dated as if sold at Neubulus Ga., a station on the Georgia Midland & Gulf Railroad. Then the tickets were placed in the hands of the men under arrest who disposed of a large number through the medium of an agency at Hot Springs, Ark. Last Wednesday Frank Crony got drunk and was arrested. A large number of the bogus tickets were found on his person and the police soon caught the others, except Ludwig. Last night it was found that the Santa Fe, Burlington, Missouri Pacific and Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis roads have been victimized. It is thought that the gang has netted several thousand dollars.

BANK STATEMENT

For the Week Ending January 12.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Reserve increase $5 980,150; loans decrease, $3,707 400; specie decrease, $354,800; legal tenders increase, $6 923.200; deposits increase, $555,000; circulation increase, $31,400. The banks now hold $41,792,200 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

The indications are that J. R. Burton, of Abilene, Kan., is far in the lead for U. S. Senator for that State and that he will receive the caucus nominations of the Republicans next Wednesday evening.

The thermometer at Charleston, W. Va., was one degree below zero at seven o'clock p. m. yesterday, and the weather growing colder. There is a heavy snow in the mountains.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

A FLORIDA SENSATION.

The Steam Yacht Lagonda Detained at Fernandina by United States Authorities — Alleged to be on a Filibustering Expedition to Cuba.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Jan. 12—A special to the *Morning News* from Fernandina, Fla., says: The statement in a New York paper of Friday concerning the arrival of a vessel touching at this port and bound for Cuba, has been verified by recent developments, and this town is enjoying a genuine sensation.

The steam yacht Lagonda arrived last Monday from New York ostensibly for the purpose of filling her coal bunkers and proceeded to the West Indies on a pleasure cruise. The next day her charterers invited the collector of the port, a local editor and N. B. Borden, the Spanish Consel, to take a trip up the St. Mary's river, hoping by the very audacity of the scheme, to disarm any suspicion that might arise. It afterward transpired that Mr. Borden was the agent for the charterer, a Mr. Montell, and was looking after the business of the expedition, having chartered the vessel from her owner, Rev. W. R. Moore, and purchased coal and other supplies. A few days ago a number of boxes and cases arrived by rail for Mr. Borden, and were loaded on the yacht. To-day one of the same cases was found floating in the river, and on being opened was found to contain cutlasses, knapsacks and canteens. It is supposed that all were thrown overboard and that most of them sank.

The yacht is being detained by the custom house authorities, and the next development will be when the steamer Baracoa arrives from Boston.

The *Morning News'* correspondent has reliable information that the latter vessel, a Norwegian of 508 tons, is due to-morrow and is under charter to the same people. The expedition is supposed to be under the direction of Marti, the Cuban patriot, and peculiar significance is attached to the fact of the Spanish Consul being the agent of the vessels. He claims to be acting only as a ship broker and ship agent, which is a part of his regular business, and denies that the expedition is other than a pleasure trip. It is generally believed that the principals know of the object of the expedition.

AN EXPRESS CAR ROBBED

By Two Masked Men Near Chillicothe, Iowa—All the Contents of the Safe Taken.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

OTTOWA, Jan. 13.—While passenger train No. 4. on the Burlington road was leaving Chillicothe, a small station ten miles west of this city, at 9 o'clock, two masked robbers jumped into the Express car through the side door, which had not yet been closed. They presented revolvers at the heads of the Express messenger and baggage man. Under cover of the weapons they were bound and gagged. One of the robbers held his gun at the railroad men while his confederate went to the safe of the Express car, which was open. He threw all the packages and valuables into a bag. As the train was nearing the city the mail clerk came into the Express car and was covered by revolvers without being bound or gagged. The train slowed up at Milwaukee Junction, a few miles from this city, and this gave the robbers an opportunity to jump off and escape in the darkness. The mail clerk released the prisoners, and as soon as the train entered the Ottowa depot the police were notified and a posse started in pursuit. Everything in the safe was taken, but it is not believed the robbers got more than $1,500 cash. The robbers were disguised as farmers. The property stolen was being carried by the American Express. Railroad men think the amount stolen is much larger than was stated. The Express messenger is bruised and suffering from the nervous shock to such an extent that he can give little information. The robbers were evidently professionals, despite their rural attire. Both wore long brown overcoats. One wore blue jeans trousers and the other blue overalls.

The agent who was at work when they entered had little time to inspect their attire before he was knocked down and forced to give up the keys to the safe. The plunder was placed in two grain sacks which the robbers carried. It is thought the robbers had confederates near here, and that they were taken to a place of concealment in a carriage. The train is a mail train but does not carry the well-filled through safes of the Express company. The local safe which was robbed frequently contained large sums of money. The express company's officials will give out no information in regard to the amount secured.

TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE.

The Gubernatorial Contest—Resolution for Postponement of the Count Will Probably be Adopted.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NASHVILLE, January 12.—The House failed to take action on the resolution adopted by the Senate providing or an investigation before announcing the result for Governor. Both sides discussed the matter at length. A resolution introduced by Mr. Cato, Republican, providing for the appointment of a committee on investigations, their report to be presented before the reports of the gubernatorial election are opened and published, was tabled by a vote of 57 to 37. No discussion was allowed under the rules. This is taken as an indication that the Democratic resolution for a postponement of the count will be adopted by the House on Monday.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—237 bales cotton.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R, R.—109 bales cotton, 17 casks spirits turpentine, 86 bbls rosin, 10 bbls tar.

Carolina Central R. R.—120 bales cotton, 36 casks spirits turpentine, 50 bbls rosin, 9 bbls tar.

C. F. & Y. V. R. R.—51 bales cotton, 39 casks spirits turpentine, 108 bbls tar.

Steamer Daggett—6 casks spirits turpentine, 14 bbls rosin, 123 bbls tar.

Total receipts—Cotton, 507 bales; spirits turpentine, 98 casks; rosin, 258 bbls; tar, 148 bbls.

The Norwegian steamer Michigan, laden with cotton for Liverpool, proceeding to sea Friday, grounded on a shoal outside of the new jetty channel at Charleston, S. C. Tugs have been engaged to pull her off.

THE SOUTH DAKOTA STEAL.

A Conspiracy to Defraud the State Revealed by State Treasurer Taylor's Defalcation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PIERRE, S. D, January 12—The suspicion that there was a conspiracy to defraud the State, resulting in Taylor's defalcation and flight, was proven to-day by the discovery that the Commissioner of Public Lands had been abusing his opportunities. The Legislature has ordered an investigation and it will lay bare considerable rascality in the Land Office. Thos. H. Ruth, a banker at Desmet, is the commissioner. During the summer of 1893, when the panic was at its height, Ruth refused to send to the various counties the school money, which, at that time amounted to $200 000, although the statute is mandatory that it be sent June 15. A tremendous protest arose throughout the State. Ruth, who was in the seat, wrote a letter to the State Treasurer and also to the Treasurer of Clay county, but mixed the envelopes. In the letter to Taylor, which the county official received, he said substantially this:

"There seems to be a tremendous howl over the State at our holding up money. The only thing for us to do is to let them howl. We have as great a use for that money as any one and I must have that $45 000. Do not apportion any money until I return."

He also wrote an impudent letter to the Governor, who demanded that he obey the law. The sum referred to is believed to have been in his Desmet bank at the time and an equal sum is known to have been in Taylor's bank. Finally when suit was brought for payment by the Sioux Falls School Board Ruth made an apportionment but six months after the time set by law, and then only divided $85,000 out of $130 000 in the fund. The last apportionment was due November 15th, and had it been made at that time the counties would have collected money which was then in Treasurer Taylor's hands and the State would have saved $90,000. But although the lists were made out at the time, Ruth refused to send vouchers until December 27th, and by the time the vouchers came back to Pierre, the treasurer had fled and the cash was gone. It is believed by officials that Ruth was privy to Taylor's crime and held up the money to give Taylor a chance to get State money and escape.

It is now tolerably certain that Taylor's actual shortage was about $170,000. He has therefore appropriated about $200,000 in addition. The Northwestern Mortgage and Trust Company, of Redfield, has filed deeds at Sioux Falls, to Howard M. Benedict, of Chicago, who executes for $20 000 to Charles H. Walls, of Chicago. The property deed and mortgage are not worth over $2 000. The deeds were executed by W. W. Taylor, President of the Redfield Company, in Chicago, December 31.

WARM WIRELETS.

H. H. Creech, dealer in dry goods and notions, Norfolk, Va., has made an assignment. Liabilities $18,000.

A gale almost reaching the force of a cyclone passed over Chattanooga, Tenn., early yesterday morning.

A Jacksonville dispatch says the story published in Chicago papers of one thousand tramps moving on Jacksonville is simply sensational stuff without any foundation in fact.

Secretary Carlisle awarded the contract for the building of the Atlanta, Ga., Exposition building to W. N. McAfee, of Atlanta, Ga., at $27 446, time for completion by July 1st, 1895.

Several earthquakes shook Southern Italy and Sicily yesterday. The inhabitants of many towns are so frightened that they are erecting huts in the fields: where they intend to pass the rest of the Winter.

Thomas Holloran was arrested in Richmond, Va., for the murder of Gabriel Papini. Holloran admitted the killing and said his victim pointed a pistol in his face. The trouble occurred over a question of five cents change.

A dispatch from Tien Tsin says the Japanese are steadily advancing upon Chin Chow and the Chinese are slowly retiring to the great wall, where they intend to make a stand. The progress of both is impeded by snow, which is very heavy.

A Massillon, Ohio, dispatch says: The Howells Mining Company is successfully operating with its own officers driving mules in place of striking drivers. It is understood that an effort will be made to break the strike at all points Monday.

The expected shipment of $800 000 in gold by Hoskier, Wood & Co. on the steamship La Champagne yesterday, from New York, was reduced to $500,000. Lazard Freres shipped $1,600 000 making a total of $3 100 000 on the French vessel.

Travel from the North to Florida has become very heavy. The regular New York and Florida short line, limited, over the Southern Railway last night was followed by a second section, carrying 250 extra help to the Jacksonville and St. Augustine hotels.

Samuel Emery, of New York, the well known turf man, who was arrested in Richmond, Va., in connection with the gold-brick swindle as a suspicious character, was yesterday discharged by the Police Justice at the request of the Commonwealth's Attorney.

A special to the *News and Observer* from Winston, N. C., says that District Attorney Glenn, of the Western District, will bring an indictment against the American Tobacco Co. as a trust, at the instance of Attorney-General Osborne. Mr. Glenn is now in Washington City.

The British steamship Lord Londonderry, Capt. Maglunds, from Baltimore for Belfast, is aground on Rappahannock spit, near the mouth of the Rappahannock river. The steamer Norfolk, of the Norfolk and Washington Line, worked on her an hour this morning, but to no avail.

Over two feet of snow has fallen at Marquette, Mich., in the last 18 hours, and it has drifted so badly as to bring local traffic to a complete halt. Railroad trains so far have not fallen much behind schedule time, but trouble is anticipated on some sections of the roads.

The will of the late Senator Jos. E. Brown, of Georgia, was filed yesterday for probate. The property is to be equally divided among the heirs. It is estimated at $2 500,000. The widow and two sons, Julius and Joseph M., are named as executrix and executors respectively.

The bodies of two negroes, George Mapp and Buddie Wooten, hanged in Chattanooga, Tenn., Friday, were carried to an undertakers' establishment, where the proprietor exposed them to a gaping crowd of negroes at five cents admission. The chief of police stopped the show and arrested the proprietor.

The Central and Southern Base Ball Leagues, which have been engaged in a scramble for the Southern territory, are to hold a joint meeting in Atlanta Monday, when it is proposed to unite the Leagues to include New Orleans, Montgomery, Nashville, Atlanta, Memphis, Little Rock, Evansville and Chattanooga.

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St Paul's Church, Fourth and Orange streets, Rev F N Skinner, rector, (1st Sunday after Epiphany) service at 11 a m. No evening service. Sunday school at 3.30 p m. All seats free.

COLORED CHURCHES.

Shiloh Baptist church, corner Walnut and McRae streets, P F Maloy, pastor. Preaching at 11 a m by Dr L M Luke, of Texas, General Superintendent, Corresponding and Financial Secretary of the Baptist Foreign Mission Convention of the United States; at 3 p m and 7 30 p m by Pastor; Sunday School 12 m; Endeavor Society 4 30 p m. Visitors and strangers welcome.

Central Baptist Church, corner Seventh and Red Cross streets, Rev L T Christmas, pastor. Services to-day at 10 30 a m, and 3 p m. Rev Dr L M Luke, of Texas, will preach. At 7 30 p m, ordination sermon and ordaining a deacon. Sunday School at 12 m. All welcome.

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For Shallotte (Brunswick Co.), Tuesdays and and Fridays .... 5:30 a m
For Wrightsville (except Sunday) .... 1:15 p m
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For South via Train 43 at Wilson, leaving here train 40 W & W Railroad .... 5:30 p m
For South and way stations W C & A R R— 3:30 p m
For North, Magnolia, Goldsboro, Wilson ... 5 30 p m
For Charlotte & stations—C C R R, ex Sunday 5:00 am
For points between Charlotte and Hamlet and Weldon and Hamlet, and Cronly, Maxton & Laurinburg, ... 6 30 p m
For Newbern and stations W., N. & N.R. R except Sunday. .... 6.00 a m
For Jacksonville, N C, except Sunday, ... 2.00 p m

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From Charlotte and points C C R R .... 5.30 p m
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From North—Magnolia, Goldsboro and Wilson—'Shoofly .... 11.00 a m
From South—W & W train No. 41 .... 11.00 a m
From Southport .... 6:00 p m
" " Saturdays .... 11.00 a m
From Shallotte and Brunswick Co—Monday and Thursday .... 7.00 p m
From Wrightsville .... 6:15 p m
From North and way stations W & W R R 7.00 p m
From Newbern and stations W N & N R R except Sunday, ... 8.00 p m
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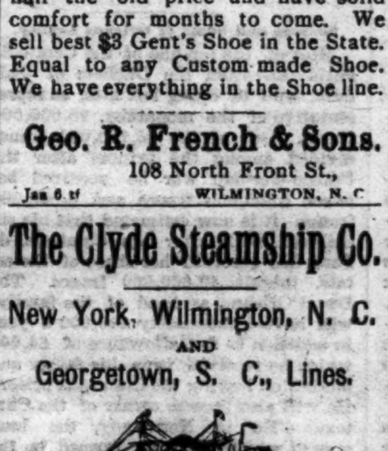

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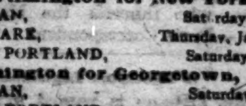

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Having qualified as Executor of the will of the late Julia E. Oakley, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of my said testatrix to present the same to me or to my attorney, Junius Davis Esq., on or before the 18th day of January A. D., 1896. Dated this 12 h January A. D., 1895.

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By virtue of an order made in the above-entitled cause on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1894, by the Honorable Charles H. Simonton, Circuit Judge, the undersigned hereby gives notice to all creditors of the said Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad Company to file their claims in said Court at Wilmington, N. C., on or before the first day of February, A. D. 1895, and prove the same before the undersigned, appointed by said order Special Master to hear evidence and take proof of all such claims, at such time and place as he may appoint, of which notice will be given hereafter. All creditors failing to file their said claims as aforesaid, on or before said first day of February, A. D. 1895 will be excluded and deprived of the benefit of any decree to be rendered in said cause affecting creditors, by the terms of said order.

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